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STATE BOARD EQUALIZATION

Files a Report of Its Recent Work.

A SITUATION IS DESCRIBED

Which the Board Says Handicaps Its Work at Every Step.

GOOD ASSESSORS VERY RARE

Frankfort, Ky., June 3.—In a facetious report filed with the Governor, the Board of Equalization for the State discusses the reasons why property is not assessed higher. The report in part is as follows:

"In this, as in former years, there was no occasion for reducing any county's returned assessment. Not one of them was assessed at a measure of its face value. Forty-seven counties were not changed—not for the reason that the board considered them properly assessed, but because, if they were increased, the counties that had a per cent. added would need to have been raised correspondingly higher.

"The law governing the board has not been changed in any particular during your administration. The Legislature has not seen fit to make an addition or change which would enable the board to more probably arrive at an accurate conclusion in its endeavor to equalize values among the counties.

"The transfer sheets upon which we are to primarily base our decision as they are at present returned, are in most cases almost worthless, some for the reason that the purchase price is purposely hidden under '\$1 and other considerations,' many have no value fixed by the county supervisors, some have no value fixed by the assessor; much is listed with other property; in numbers of instances the acreage is not given; in nearly all some one term is withheld, which makes a comparison between the sale value, assessed value and supervisor's value, impossible. In many cases it is a result of ignorance, carelessness or slovenliness; in others, shrewdness and duplicity—done purposely to mislead. When witnesses are sent, they oftener serve to confuse than otherwise.

"There are a few good assessors in the State. We say a few for the lack of a general term that expresses a lesser number. The impression seems to be gaining ground throughout the State that we have a single tax system, and that personal property is exempt from taxation, and inasmuch as real estate is compelled to bear the burden, it is the privilege of the owner and the duty of the officials to connive to list all property at a very low figure. In the matter of personal property, no witness testified that the assessor claimed to have assessed it fully, or that the owners had intended to give it in at its worth. In substance they contend that it is not given in anywhere and excuse themselves on the ground that it is a matter of perjury or poverty, and exercise their right of choice."

NINETY MILLION MORE IN TAXES FOR KENTUCKY

Frankfort, Ky., June 5.—As a result of the increase in assessments made by the State board of valuations and assessments, the State will receive \$90,000 more in taxes according to the report made by Sherman Carver, secretary of the board, to Frank P. James, State Auditor, to-day. The report shows that the actual total of assessment on all property in the State this year is \$846,454,020. The total amount of taxes due the State on this will be \$4,232,269.

REFUSES TO MARRY LOVER BECAUSE OF CONSUMPTION

Kansas City, Mo., June 3.—Because she contracted consumption from her former husband, and does not want the man she loves to catch the deadly disease, is the unusual defense of Mrs. Minnie Bicking, a wealthy widow of this city, who is being sued in the Circuit Court for \$100,000 damages for

breach of promise to marry, by Martin Knapp, a musician of St. Louis. Mrs. Bicking is in Texas, where she is seeking a cure for the white plague, she alleged in depositions taken in San Antonio a few days ago. In the depositions Mrs. Bicking says she has lost none of her love for the St. Louis man—she still thinks of him as before. It was for his sake, for his happiness, that she jilted him. To use her own testimony:

"I contracted tuberculosis from my former husband, and could not think of marrying Mr. Knapp after that."

Mrs. Bicking is 38 years old. Her former husband was 70 years old when he died. He left her \$300,000. The case is on docket for trial late this month.

MAN IN ST. LOUIS TELLS OF CRIME IN KENTUCKY

St. Louis, June 2.—Harry Cunningham, remorseful, he said, because he had committed a burglary, accosted Watchman John Cahill at the entrance to the Four Courts and said he wanted to be locked up and held for the authorities of Lawrenceville, Ky. Cunningham told Cahill that he robbed the store of Michael Fritz in the Kentucky city two weeks ago, stole cigars, groceries and other goods and came to St. Louis.

Since, he said, he had been unable to sleep or find peace of mind, and had decided it would be best for him to give himself up and take the punishment. He asked that the police of Lawrenceville be notified and said he would return without requisition papers. Cunningham is twenty-nine years old and a stationary engineer. He is held at police headquarters pending an investigation.

PRETTY GIRL REFUSED TO MARRY ALLEGED SEDUCER

The Owensboro Messenger says: When the case of Lewis Higdon, who is charged with seduction, was called in the Circuit Court Friday afternoon, the defendant, who is a young farmer of the Knottsville neighborhood, walked before Judge Birkhead and stated that he was willing to marry Miss Minnie Rodgers, the pretty sixteen-year-old girl who is his accuser.

The statute in such cases provides that in the event the accused offers to marry the person whom he is said to have betrayed, that no matter whether she accepts or rejects the proposal, the prosecution against the defendant shall be abated.

Judge Birkhead, turned to the young girl, who was neatly attired and who is a very bright, intelligent and rather pretty girl, and asked her if she would marry Higdon. She very promptly and deliberately answered in the negative.

Commonwealth's Attorney Ben D. Ringo was in the court room and when the offer of marriage was rejected by the young woman, he declined to go into the prosecution of the charge against the young man.

ELECTION FOR PRESIDENT TO BE HELD IN MEXICO

Mexico City, June 3.—By an official decree issued to-day by Provisional President De La Barra, a special Presidential election was called. In all the States and Territories electors will be chosen on October 1, and these will elect a successor to Porfirio Diaz on Sunday, October 15.

De La Barra fully realizes the immense responsibility he has assumed and the men who were prominent in the conduct of the revolution do not underestimate the difficulties to be encountered in the holding of an open election in Mexico.

So far the name of Francisco I. Madero, Jr., is the only one known that will appear on the ballot for President.

True Democratic Attitude. Declaring that it is not his purpose to fight Democrats, but to defeat all of his time to fighting the common enemy—the Republicans—in the campaign this fall, M. M. Logan, of Edmonson county, Saturday withdrew from the race for the Democratic nomination for Attorney General.

The Government cotton report indicates that the yield this year will be about 2,500,000 bales greater than the average.

WIFE'S PLEADING SUBDUED DIAZ

And Caused Him to Sign Resignation.

GUIDED HIS TREMBLING HAND

In Signing Fateful Paper—Midnight Flight of Aged Warrior Follows.

THE STORY OF SENORA'S MAID

Mexico City, June 3.—Maria Ocampo, an Oaxaca Indian woman, thirty-five years old, who was in the service of Madame Porfirio Diaz for nine years, declares that Senora Diaz guided the faltering hand of the President to write his resignation, and then took the message from the reluctant hand of the old man and sent it herself to the Chamber of Deputies for action on the evening of May 25. The servant declares that Madame Diaz forced her husband to flee the city at 4 o'clock in the morning through fear that he would be assassinated.

President Diaz protested at his wife's actions and used every argument possible, but finally was overcome by his wife's pleas, and he and the family fled. The Ocampo woman said:

"To his family Diaz always said that he would never resign and that he would not be driven to it, but would stay and fight it out, and if need be, die fighting, but my mistress argued night and day with him and told him that his life was worth more to her than to the ungrateful Mexicans or to a country inhabited by such people.

"His resignation had been made out for more than a month by Diaz's attorney, and on the afternoon of May 25, about 3 o'clock, Madame Diaz brought the paper to Diaz, who was seated in front of a mahogany library table in the library of his home on old Cadena street, this city, with his head buried in his hands and tears coursing down his cheeks.

"I had been helping Lua Noriega, another maid, dress Madame, and stood just behind the heavy curtains leading to the main living room next to the library. The heavy clock in the hall struck three as Madame put her arm around Diaz's head and began reading the resignation to him. 'No, no,' he said, 'I will not sign that.' Then Madame argued in a low voice, caressing him soothingly, and finally took his hand, in which she placed a pen, and started to guide it over the paper at the bottom of the resignation. Diaz jerked his hand away, and springing to his feet, his eyes blazing, said:

"I will not sign this. I will stay here in my country and care for it."

"Madame Diaz soothed him and then rang the bell. I answered before any of the other servants got there. I then brought a fresh piece of paper and then his wife led the old man, trembling with mixed anger, grief and regret, back to his chair, took his right hand with the pen and guided it as he rewrote the entire resignation and signed it.

"No attention was paid to me and I stood watching and listening. When it was signed, Madame reached for it with one hand and with the other rang a bell for a messenger. She knew that at that moment the Chamber of Deputies was in session and that there was a terrible turmoil demanding her husband's resignation.

"Diaz thrust the paper in his pocket and refused to band it over to his wife and brushed her to one side. The original resignation drawn up by the lawyer lay on the floor, and it was afterward burned up and never used.

"There were tears on the beautiful face of Madame as she begged Diaz to give her the resignation, or at least send it at once, so as to avert massacres and riots. She argued for more than twenty minutes, and then Diaz tore the crumpled paper from his pocket, thrust it into her hand, saying:

"There, do what you please with it, and throw himself on a couch,

sobbing as if his heart would break.

"Madame rang the bell and called the military messenger, and with him sent the resignation to the Chamber of Deputies. That night the mobs rioted here, and I understand more than sixty people were killed. Neither Diaz nor his wife or son slept a wink that night, and Madame began the argument to flee from the city for Vera Cruz and then to Spain.

"At first Diaz was unmoved and declared he was going to his native State of Oaxaca. Then about midnight, suddenly drawing his wife and son into his arms, the old man said:

"For your sakes and for your happiness I will go, but God bears witness that I do not wish to go. Mexico has been in my charge and care for thirty years and now she does not want me; to spare your anguish I will go."

"Messengers were sent immediately to the railroad, where a special train was ordered and many trunks packed and others hastily thrown together. Diaz's agent was awakened at his home, and at 3 o'clock in the morning the trunks left, after the military guards arranged for the train.

"At 3:30 in the morning of May 26 the family left in two autos and secretly passed down the different back streets, while from Zocalo still rang the shouts of the mob mad for Madero. The servants were told to call at the agent's office for their money and all received large gifts of money, in addition to their wages. None went to the depot except the driver of the Presidential auto and one guard who sat with the chauffeur.

"The President, his wife and daughter went one way to the depot, while Porfirio Diaz, Jr., his wife and children in another, and were joined along the way by automobiles carrying friends, none of whom went further than the depot.

"Diaz seemed completely broken with grief, which was written all over his face. Madame Diaz alone appeared contented, while the son seemed glad to get out of the country where he had been hated for being the son of his father, now without influence.

"The family believed that Diaz would have starved and fought out the battle against all odds, as in all the time I have worked in the family I never saw the old man recede from a step once taken, and I have been entrusted with many errands both from Madame Diaz and Diaz himself, errands which a woman alone could do.

"All the servants loved Diaz and his wife, and believed in him, and we are still burning candles before the shrine of Guadalupe praying that he will return."

LITTLE SON ACCIDENTALLY SHOT AND KILLED FATHER

Louisville, Ky., June 3.—Death came to-day to Mr. John W. Powell, former Superintendent of the Eureka Stone Rubbing Company, as a result of the wound accidentally inflicted by his son Floyd, aged 7, Wednesday night.

The elder Powell was shot in the abdomen with his own rifle, the boy having picked it up as the father was getting ready to clean the gun.

"I'll shoot you," said the boy. "You are too small; you can't shoot," was the father's reply, the latter never dreaming the gun was loaded. The boy playfully pointed it at him and pulled the trigger.

The ball perforated the kidneys. Powell died at 9:30 o'clock this morning at Sts. Mary and Elizabeth Hospital.

JURY HUNG IN TRIAL OF MRS. LOUITILDA LYNCH

A hung jury resulted in the trial of Mrs. Louitilda Lynch, charged with the murder of her son-in-law, Ambie Buck, in Circuit Court at Owensboro Friday. Eleven of the jurors stood for life imprisonment in the penitentiary and one held out for a sentence for manslaughter. It was proven by the Commonwealth that the woman, accompanied by her husband, called her son-in-law from the side of his wife at night, and as he appeared at the door, shot him to death. The defense claimed that the woman was subject to spells of insanity.

Juan Gatao, a Texas soldier, died in the poorhouse at San Antonio, Tex., at the age of 109 years.

TWO IN ONE BED AT REFORMATORY

Inspector Todd Tells of Bad Conditions

AT THE STATE INSTITUTION

Says Affairs Are Managed Very Loosely and Economy Is Possible.

BUILDINGS OLD AND CROWDED

Frankfort, Ky., June 5.—A deplorable state of affairs in the dormitories of the House of Reform, near Lexington, is severely criticized by State Inspector and Examiner Todd in his report to Gov. Willson. Mr. Todd says that thirty-six colored girls are compelled to sleep in twenty beds, only two of which are double ones; that the beds of the negro boys are so close together that the boys have to climb over each other to get to bed and that almost the same conditions exist in the dormitories of the white inmates.

A summary of the examiner's report is as follows:

The inspector criticizes the system of bookkeeping, and failure to keep the proper cash and ledger books, and further states that the reports were found on loose sheets of paper. The invoice file was not complete, and that it was impossible to make a thorough check of the institution.

He also criticizes the failure to keep separate an account of the products of the farm, consisting of about 150 acres, and recommends that a separate set of books be maintained as to the revenue derived from, and the expense of running the farm. He believes this can be made a very valuable asset to the institution.

He further states that he found two superintendents and two matrons. Up until a year ago Prof. Doak and his wife only were in charge, and he believes the business can be safely conducted with one superintendent and one matron, especially when money is needed for the improvement of the conditions of the Houses of Reform. The salary of Prof. Doak is \$2,000 per annum, his wife as matron gets \$600, while Mr. Milliken, also superintendent, receives a salary of \$1,500, and his wife a salary of \$600; a home was erected at a cost of over \$4,000, which is occupied by Mr. Milliken. It is charged that Mrs. Milliken was not at the institution during the months of May, June, July and August, 1910, and she was appointed matron in April, but records show that she received pay for this period. This was criticized by the grand jury of Fayette county. The inspector states in his report that if services were not rendered for this time, the amount should not have been paid by the State and should be refunded.

He reports a deplorable condition in the dormitories of the institution. In the colored girls' dormitory, which is nothing more than an old shack, said to be over 100 years old, unsanitary and unsafe, and containing three or four small rooms on the ground floor and a half attic above, very poorly ventilated, at present there are thirty-six girls with only twenty beds, two of which are double size, the remaining eighteen being single. Twenty-six girls sleep in the attic, and in some instances two have to sleep in a single bed. The same building is used as school room, dining room and sleeping room.

The same condition exists in the colored boys' building, the beds being so close together that the boys must walk over each other to get to their own.

At the present time in the white girls' dormitory the condition is about the same, there being only two rooms available for sleeping purposes. The rooms are 29x24 feet. One room contains twenty single beds and one double bed, and thirty-eight girls are compelled to sleep in this room. The second room contains twenty-four single beds and one double bed, and forty-four girls occupy this room. This

condition will soon be relieved, as they are building an addition to the dormitory, which will make it comfortable for the white girls.

SLEPT BY COUPSE ALL NIGHT—DIDN'T KNOW IT

The Earlington Bee says: Robert Harris, a farmer, 50 years old, while riding from here to his farm six miles from Madisonville, while in an intoxicated condition, fell off his vehicle and broke his neck, dying almost instantly. John Bumpus, 20 years old, who was riding on horseback following Harris, thought the man was in a drunken stupor, and pulled the body over a fence and slept beside it all night.

Bumpus got up at daybreak and still did not suspect that the man beside him was dead. Bumpus went to the house of Lum Howard near by, requesting that Harris be taken care of. On returning to the supposed slumberer, an examination showed that the body was rigid.

Harris leaves a wife and children and an aged mother. The body was buried yesterday, following the verdict of a coroner's jury that death was due to a broken neck.

WHOOPING COUGH PARTY THE LATEST INNOVATION

Brocton, Mass., June 4.—A whooping cough party is the latest thing in entertainment for children. J. Anson Brock, five years old, introduced the novelty here last night. Brock, whose birthday fell yesterday, spent a fearful morning when he was told that on account of his affliction he could not celebrate the day with the expected party.

Finally his mother conceived the idea of inviting in eight little friends who also had the whooping cough. The eight sturdy whoopers presented themselves promptly and for three hours they played and whooped and ate cake and ice cream. An individual cake was presented to the best whooper and a smaller cake went as a consolation prize to the lad who coughed least.

A WEALTHY FARMER TAKES HIS OWN LIFE

Cadiz, Ky., June 3.—R. K. Goodwin, a wealthy farmer of this county, committed suicide this morning at 6:30 o'clock at his home near Cerulean Springs by shooting himself in the stomach with a shotgun. The deed was committed in the stable, a short distance from the house. The family heard the report of the gun, and went at once to the stable, but he was dead when they reached him.

He was about 60 years of age, and is survived by a wife and a number of grown children.

Mr. Goodwin had been in poor health for some time and at times seemed very despondent, and the death of his close friend, Foster Rawls, a merchant at Cerulean, which occurred yesterday morning, is thought to have contributed to some extent to his act.

OWENSBORO BOY WINS BIG PRIZE BY DRAWING

Master E. Stewart H. Bruner, of Owensboro, has received a check for \$100 from the Friedman-Shelby Shoe Co., of St. Louis, makers of the Red Goose shoe, as the first prize in the original drawing contest that was conducted throughout the United States, with the view of advertising and popularizing the Red Goose shoe.

Master Bruner won the prize of \$5 that was offered by the J. A. Brown company, of Owensboro, and his drawing together with the thousands of other drawings that were submitted throughout the United States, was then sent into the house at St. Louis, where they were entered in the contest for the grand prizes.

Stewart is a bright youngster of twelve years and recently finished the seventh grade in the city school, making a very creditable average for his year's work.

Fortunate or Unfortunate?

Glasgow, Ky., June 3.—J. T. Welsh, a well known farmer of Hart county, suffered a stroke while at work in a field and fell unconscious. He was entangled in the plow lines and was dragged to his home by a mule, a distance of some two hundred yards. When he was found at the gate by his wife he was more dead than alive, but it is believed that he will recover.

30-DAYS EXTENSION-30

—The Stock has to be reduced and we are going to continue this—

THIRTY
DAYS

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SALE THIRTY DAYS!

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THIRTY
DAYS

The extraordinary values you have been getting are going to prevail with continued reductions. Our straight-forward way of doing business has appealed to the people and we assure you that our method is to always give honest values for less money than any one else. The stock is being reduced every day and to wait at all might mean a loss of a great bargain—come early. There will be no shipping away of any goods—they will have to be sold—the right price is on them and they will all go. The time is limited and when these values are gone, you'll miss them. We are not talking values, we are putting the prices on this merchandise to move it. Remember ONLY 30 DAYS longer. The last opportunity.

ROSENBLATT'S

THE STORE THAT SATISFIES.

HARTFORD, KY.

HER MASTER'S RAIN OF KISSES

Is the Peril of Modern
Serving Girl.

EXPERIENCE OF YOUNG WOMAN

Who Played Detective and
Hired Out to Prominent
Families.

VIRTUE WAS SORELY TRIED

New York, June 3.—Playing detective for the New York Women's Club, to learn what actually happens to the typical servant in the house, Lella May Carr is returning from Chicago, Cleveland, Pittsburg and other cities with a surprising report of her experiences in "hiring out."

Organization of girls in domestic employment will be urged. Lawyers will be retained to "make examples of men guilty of misbehavior toward girls in their employ."

Miss Carr declares that "greater peril surrounds the public servant than any other woman worker." She gives instances from five months' working in homes of men well to do and highly respectable.

Out of 15 positions, she had to quit nine because of unbearable attentions from the men of the household.

"The only good word is for an uneducated, rough contractor, who with no training in the refinements of life, treated me with the utmost deference. He was quite considerate, he never departed in any degree from the most respect."

"What she met with in richer, more cultivated homes," she briefly outlines.

"In Cleveland I was second girl in a pretentious household. For nine days I thought the evil things said of domestics must be untrue. The mistress was considerate. My own hours were never encroached on."

"But the aged butler advised me not to stay. He would not say why—said I would soon find out."

"Three days later the oldest son came home from an eastern college. He behaved like a cyclone. Before he had been in the house two hours he seized me and tried to kiss me."

"I tried my pet theories about applying womanly reserve and forbidding eye. It was no use. He just cried and kept on doing things that made it impossible for me to stay there."

"His mother explained: 'Why George is just playful. He means no harm.'"

"A week later I was in a Pittsburg residence. The family was wealthy; had come from the South. The women were gracious; the old Major, head of the family, was charming—when sober."

"Late in the evening, when alcohol had made him adventurous, he hatted about the servants' quarters. I was dazed when the old man entered the chambers of another servant and myself at 1 o'clock in the morning."

"In several places I found that the idiosyncrasies of a member of the family toward the maid were tolerantly made light of, and that

the maids were expected to make light of them, too.

"Better protection to the girl servant must be brought about," she declares, "first by organization and next by prosecuting insults to her."

MOTHER COULD NOT LIVE
AFTER SON WAS BURIED

Marletta, Ohio, June 2.—"I cannot live to see my boy go under the ground," said Mrs. Sarah Nott, of this city, when she learned of the death of her son, Charles Albert Nott, at Carlyle, Ill., last Wednesday by falling from an oil derrick. Ten hours after the funeral, Mrs. Nott dropped dead, death being caused by heart trouble aggravated by the shock of the death of her son. A double funeral was held this afternoon, and mother and son are buried side by side.

WAS NOT MUCH SUCCESS AS A TOBACCO GROWER

Experience of An Elizabethtown
Man—Balanced Account
With Rooster.

The Elizabethtown News says: Frank Corley is some County Clerk, some politician, some Mason and some fisherman, but as a tobacco grower (to excuse the English) he "ain't some." He shipped his crop to Louisville several months ago, amounting to two hogheads. He had spent a great deal of his time and money on this first crop and was expecting big results. Shortly after he shipped it he received word from the tobacco warehouse that he had only shipped his lugs and to ship the leaf. Frank's feathers fell, as he had shipped all he had. Finally the product of his farm was put up on the breaks and Frank received a check for \$40.00. He never mentions tobacco now and he turns green if a man asks him to have a chew.

This reminds us of a story Mr. Granville Watkins tells. He says that a number of years ago, when tobacco was very low, that a man from Hart county put all he had raised in a box and shipped it to the city. Shortly afterward he went up and called around for his tobacco money. The warehouse men told him that it had been sold, but that it lacked 25 cents of paying the charges. The tobacco grower said he did not have the twenty-five cents, but that the next time he came to town he would bring him a rooster. The next year he came into the warehouse with two roosters under his arm. He told the warehouse man that he had brought that rooster. "Yes, I see you have," said the tobacco merchant, "but what are you doing with that other rooster under your arm?" The grower of the weed chuckled a little and remarked: "I have shipped you another box of tobacco and thought you might need another rooster to balance accounts."

Whooping cough is not dangerous when the cough is kept loose and expectoration easy by giving Chamberlain's Cough Remedy. It has been used in many epidemics of this disease with perfect success. For sale by all dealers.

Looking Ahead.
Proud Young Father—Isn't he a little beauty? What a pity he has that mark on his upper lip.
Proud Young Mother—Why, John, his mustache will hide that.

PROHIBITIONISTS ADOPT PLATFORM

And Name State Ticket in
Convention.

REV. J. D. REDD FOR GOVERNOR

Other Official Nominations
Also Filled With
Good Men.

COMMITTEES ARE APPOINTED

Lexington, Ky., May 31.—The State convention of the Prohibition party of Kentucky, at its sessions here to-day, nominated the following ticket:

Governor, the Rev. J. D. Redd, Paintsville; Lieutenant Governor, Prof. M. L. Moore, Franklin; Secretary of State, C. A. Singer, Louisville; State Treasurer, William Lewen, Jessamine county; Superintendent of Public Instruction, J. M. Guillems, Bowling Green; Commissioner of Agriculture, J. R. Pyle, Owensboro; Executive Committee: T. B. Demaree, Wilmore; L. L. Pickett, Wilmore; C. A. Singer, Louisville; H. S. D. Wright, Louisville; L. Spinkle, Louisville; Mrs. Frances Beauchamp, Lexington; Robert Cooper, Nicholasville; A. W. Carpenter, Moreland; J. D. Redd, Paintsville; H. W. Davis, Providence.

The following was the platform adopted:

"In humble recognition of our dependence upon Almighty God, the sovereign Lord and rightful ruler of all men and nations, whose blessings and guidance we need and implore, we, the representatives of the Prohibition party of Kentucky, in convention assembled in the city of Lexington, this 31st day of May, 1911, formulate the following declaration of principles:

"Resolved, That the manufacturer and wholesaler of alcoholic liquor is the strength and power of the traffic; that he has become a political dictator and writes the platforms of two dominant parties, and nominates the candidates on these platforms; that to secure even the semblance of the enforcement of the anti-liquor laws, a political party must declare for the entire prohibition of the manufacture and sale of beverage liquors; that we reaffirm our allegiance to the national Prohibition party.

"The only test of citizenship shall be intelligence and morality.

"We approve the bill pending before Congress known as the Webb Interstate commerce bill, and ask all citizens to urge their representatives to vote for the measure.

"We favor the initiative, referendum and recall.

"We demand of our Legislature and the National Congress such laws as will utterly extirpate every vestige of that unspeakable crime known as the 'white slave traffic.' We endorse and pledge our support to the American Advance as the national Prohibition party organ."

A plank was added declaring the confidence of the Kentucky Prohibitionists in the wisdom of the National Executive Committee of the party and endorsing its management of the national party.

The following committees were

appointed and their reports were unanimously adopted:

Resolutions—Mrs. Frances E. Beauchamp, H. D. L. Wright, L. L. Pickett.

Nominations—T. B. Demaree, William Lowen, C. A. Singer, Mrs. F. E. Beauchamp, Robert Cooper.

Finance—A. W. Carpenter, J. W. White, Frank Grow, Mrs. Frances E. Beauchamp, H. S. L. Wright.

After the selection of the ticket, which was without contest, and the adoption of the platform, the convention adjourned.

Forgot.

Willie—Say, Pa, you ought to see the men across the street raise a building on jacks.

Pa (absently)—Impossible, Willie. You can open on jacks, but a man is a fool to try to raise on them—er—I mean it must have been quite a sight.

STANDARD OIL'S WEALTH SOMETHING STUPENDOUS

Its Surplus is Now Worth More
Than Five Times Its
Capital.

The Standard Oil Company has a capital stock of \$110,000,000, of which \$100,000,000 is common and \$10,000,000 is preferred. It is supposed to have a surplus of about \$500,000,000.

The stock yesterday advanced from 67 1/2 to 67 3/4 a share. It closed on the curb after the decision was known, at 650 bid and 700 asked.

The cash assets of the company, according to the last annual report, were about \$333 a share. These assets do not include the value of the company's oil above ground, which is figured at \$300,000,000, or about \$300 a share; so that in actual liquidation the value of the Standard Oil stock would be about \$688 a share.

The company has 8,000 miles of trunk pipe line, 75,000 miles of feeders and controls 70 per cent. of the refining business of the country, having 22 refineries, each with a daily capacity of from 15,000 to 30,000 barrels.

It has erected and maintains oil supplies in nearly 4,000 stations throughout the United States, holds 80,000,000 barrels of oil continually in reserve and requires 9,000 tank cars and 5,000 tank wagons to handle initial domestic distribution.

More than one-half of the company's refined product is consumed abroad, 200 vessels, including 60 ocean tank steamers, being engaged in transporting its products, and this foreign business has brought to this country more than \$1,000,000,000 of foreign gold.

The company employs 70,000 men, has a pay-roll of \$150,000 a day, and in 40 years of corporate existence has had no labor troubles.

—[New York World.]

BUILD UP
in spring and summer, it's the natural time to store up health and vitality for the year.
Scott's Emulsion
is Nature's best and quickest help.
All Druggists

HARLAN NOT YET READY TO LEAVE

His Seat in U. S. Supreme
Court.

AGED JURIST SEVENTY-EIGHT

Kentuckian Declares He Has
Done Hardest Labor in
Last Term.

HAS NO IDEA OF RESIGNING

Washington, May 31.—Justice John Marshall Harlan, the oldest member of the Supreme Court of the United States in point of service as well as in years, whose dissenting opinions in the two great trust cases recently decided by the court have attracted attention everywhere, will celebrate his seventy-eighth birthday anniversary tomorrow. Following his annual custom the distinguished Kentuckian is preparing to leave for his summer home at Murray Bay Hill, Canada, where he will remain until October, when the court resumes its sessions.

Asked about stories that appear from time to time concerning his retirement, Justice Harlan said:

"On Thursday I will be seventy-eight years of age. On December 10 I shall have been on the bench thirty-four years. If I remain there until June 10, 1912, just a little more than a year now, I shall have served longer than any other justice since the organization of the court. You ask about my retirement. Of course in view of my age that is a subject that often comes up in my mind. Now and then I have a strong wish to surrender all the cares of office and have complete rest from judicial labor, but when I come squarely up to the point, I shrink from the idea of retirement, and at this time have no purpose to quit my position."

"I have led a laborious life as a Judge, but I am in as good condition as any man of my age has a right to expect. I have been sick only twice in seventy-eight years. Perhaps one of the best proofs is that with the exception of a time named in Paris as a member of the Hering Sea tribunal of arbitration and an attack of grip some ten years ago, I have been absent from the court only twenty days during my judicial career. Of course, I feel, as any man would, the effect of advanced years, but I have done as much work during the term just closed as in any previous term."

"How it compares with my former work, and how effectively it has been done, I shall allow others to decide. I will say only this, I am not conscious of any particular physical ailment, and my hold on life, or rather my desire to live and enjoy myself, is as strong as ever. I have no desire to 'loaf about' on account of my age."

Justice Harlan also stated that the story to the effect that he will retire should the next election result in the election of a Democratic President, thus giving President Taft an opportunity to make his successor a Republican, was without foundation in fact.

"I dropped politics when I went on the bench," said Justice Harlan. "I never have considered poli-

tics and my retirement, as at all related."

SUICIDE OF WEALTHY WOMAN AT LEBANON

Lebanon, Ky., June 1.—Mrs. Sallie Hamilton, wife of Clem Hamilton, one of the wealthiest and best known men of the county, committed suicide this morning by drowning herself in a cistern in the yard of their home in this city. She was seventy-six years old and had been in bad health for the past year.

She was missed by members of the family about 5:30 o'clock, when search was instituted. Her body was found in the cistern, from which she had removed the cover. Mr. and Mrs. Hamilton were both widely connected in this and adjoining counties and belonged to one of the oldest families in this section of the State.

WOMAN FOUGHT IN RANKS DURING THE CIVIL WAR

And Her Sex Was Not Discovered
Until Ten Years After
Conflict.

Grand Rapids, Mich., May 31.—Asa Smart, a veteran of the Civil War, now a resident of Charlotte, told to-day how a woman fought through the rebellion in his company as a man, as his comrade, and he did not learn that she was a woman until 10 years after the conflict had ended.

Sarah Edmunds was her name, but in the army she was Frank Thompson. She enlisted in 1861 at Flint when she was but 20 years of age. The Second Michigan Infantry was her regiment. She had no trouble getting into the ranks. It was the first call for troops, and the only examination volunteered to take was of the hands, to show that they were in good condition to handle a gun. She gave her age as 18 in order to account for her extremely delicate features and light voice. Throughout the war she was as brave and hardy a soldier as any member of her regiment.

Miss Edmunds made the acquaintance of Asa Smart soon after the regiment took up quarters in Detroit before being sent to the front. Smart fell sick and she nursed him back to health. Her pet name for Smart was "dear friend," but he never suspected that she was a woman. Apparently she had no idea of falling in love with anybody, for she formed no attachments of that sort with Smart or any one else until long after the war was over. She always had a tert of her own. The first year she was ordered for Colonel Phil Kearney under McClellan and was in the front ranks of the battle at Blackburn's Ford. Later she acted as a spy, disguised part of the time as a negro boy and at other times as an Irish washerwoman. Once she was wounded and deserted rather than go to a hospital and have her sex discovered. She returned when she recovered.

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REMINISCENCES OF WAR TIMES

Ohio County Boys in the
Southern Army.

EVACUATION OF CHATTANOOGA

And March to Lafayette, Ga.
—Incidents of Battle of
Chickamauga.

SOME FATEFUL EXPERIENCES

(Continued.)

Benver Dam, Ky., May 31.—In my last article I told of the hot summer campaign in Mississippi and return to Tyner Station, Tenn. The hot weather and hard campaign through which we had gone had thinned our ranks considerably. Some were killed in battle and many were left sick in the hospital. We were destined not to stay at Tyner Station, for in a few days we marched to Chattanooga. Arriving in that city one evening, on the same night we evacuated the city and started on a forced march to Lafayette, Ga., a distance of 30 miles. On that march John Chinn and Fount Tatum fell out from fatigue and sickness, were captured, taken to a northern prison and never returned.

We arrived in Lafayette one evening and next morning moved back in the same direction in which we had come. We stayed a day or two on Pigeon mountain, then we spent a few days maneuvering, marching from point to point, and on the 19th of September, Major Rice E. Graves, with two batteries of artillery and supported by the 2d and 9th Ky. Regiments, crossed over the Chickamauga river to the west bank of the stream and opened one of the most desperate battles ever fought on the soil of America.

Now it is not my purpose to give a graphic account of that battle, as it can be read in the school histories of our country, but simply to give the incidents leading up to it which are not recorded in history. After that artillery duel, which lasted about one hour, our command moved back across the river to the same ground we occupied in the morning. Then we moved three miles up stream to another ford on the river, where we remained until evening, when Gen. Cleburne opened the battle with great fury, seven miles to our right, near Chickamauga Station.

Soon we received orders to move to Gen. Cleburne's assistance. About night we arrived at another ford on the river and as the battle was raging, we were ordered to wade the stream. We arrived on the battlefield about 10 o'clock p. m. The night was cool and frosty and we had nothing to eat. The boys were wet and cold and spent most of the night trying to dry their clothes by what fire we were allowed to have. Many a beardless boy whom a fond mother had pressed to her bosom with a farewell prayer

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that he might soon return home again, was there in that wet condition, spending his last night on earth.

The morning of the 20th day of September, 1863, dawned. The landscape was gray with frost. All night long the axles and the cluck of the artillery wheels could be heard, showing that both great armies were getting ready for the final contest.

Soon after sun-up the roll of our regiment was called, and then we took our position in line of battle. For some unknown cause there was no advance made until late in the morning. At twenty minutes past eight o'clock a cannon fired. Immediately a line three miles long moved forward. We crossed a stream, then over a glade, up a gentle slope, and then the thunder of artillery and rattle of musketry told us they were there. We soon saw that we were up against their works. In our second charge on their works E. C. Shull was killed and James Chinn was shot down and carried off the field, a cripple for life. Many others of our boys were wounded; in fact, our company lost about half their number in killed and wounded.

The command did not succeed in carrying the works till about sundown, when the Yankees gave up the fight and fled in the direction of Chattanooga. Our boys were tired and hungry and those who were not wounded slept on the ground where the fighting had occurred till next morning. We lay on the battlefield all day the 21st, there being details from both armies burying the dead.

EMBEZZLEMENT CHARGE AGAINST FORMER CASHIER

Is Charged With Appropriating
Something Over \$5,000—
Whereabouts Unknown.

The Owensboro Messenger says:

One of the last acts of the grand jury, which adjourned Thursday afternoon, was to return an indictment into the court charging W. A. Sherrill, former cashier of the Utica Deposit bank, with the embezzlement of \$5,000 from that institution. For several years Sherrill had been cashier of the bank and during the term of years, he is said to have appropriated something over \$5,000 to his own use.

The evidence that caused the grand jury to return the indictment was given by Dr. Holmes, Beatty Jewell, June May, T. A. Pedley and M. L. Ogden, Jr., the first three being connected with the bank and the other two having made an examination into the records and books of the bank at the time that it was thought that Sherrill was short in his accounts.

After the examination made by Mr. Pedley, Sherrill left Utica, and for some time afterward it was stated that he was in Webster county, trying to raise money to take care of the shortage. As soon as the shortage was discovered, the Fidelity and Deposit company, of Maryland, which was surety on Sherrill's bond in the sum of \$10,000, was notified of the shortage and at once sent a representative here to make an investigation of the bank. This investigation showed clearly that the first check made by Messrs. Pedley and Ogden had been correct and that the cashier was really short in a sum that approximated \$5,000.

The bonding company did not make any effort to have Sherrill arrested at the time that he was in Webster county, but later when an effort was made to locate him, he could not be found, and since the time that he left Utica he has not been seen in this county, and his whereabouts are unknown.

The grand jury took up the investigation of the case early this week and now that an indictment has been returned against the man, the officers will make an effort to get onto his track, and see if he can not be taken into custody. It is understood that the bonding company has admitted the shortage and that it has arranged to pay the bank the amount of the loss sustained by reason of the peculations of the cashier.

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Knicker—This gives a column to the bride's costume; what did the bridegroom wear?

Bocker—A scared look.

HOG PRODUCTION SHOWS DECREASE

Kentucky Falls Far Behind Border States

IN THE RAISING OF SWINE

A Showing Which is Not
Flattering—Matter Hard
to Account For.

SOME SIGNIFICANT FIGURES

In the Bureau of Statistics Bulletin No. 78, of the United States Department of Agriculture, are published some agricultural graphics showing the crops of agricultural products, including animals for the United States and the world, covering periods and decades.

Kentucky in this exposition of figures has shown increases in the production of horses, mules, milch cows and cattle other than milch cows, but decreases in sheep and swine. In grain we have shown an average annual production increase in wheat, corn, and a decrease in oats, barley, rye and flax seed. We show increases in potatoes, hay, tobacco, and decreases in maple sugar, sorghum syrup, apples and hemp.

This showing is not altogether flattering, for the reason that in a number of crops which we have allowed to go back, there is quite a demand at the present time, and in one instance an actual importation—that of flax seed—the Minnesota Ayres for nearly a half million bushels of seed.

Getting back to the question of raising hogs. Recently we had brought to our attention very decidedly the decrease in the movement of hogs into Louisville, the theory expressed being that transportation had something to do with it. In looking up facts in the case it developed that the transportation conditions at Louisville and into Louisville were not favorable as at any other places with which it competes, viz., Cincinnati and Indianapolis, yet those points showed enormous increases in receipts of hogs. The figures shown by the agricultural graphics for swine showed an average annual number as follows:

State	1869-1878.	1899-1908
Kentucky	1,859,000	1,225,000
Ohio	1,898,000	2,568,000
Indiana	2,387,000	2,586,000

Increase or Decrease.
Kentucky—dec. 634,000
Ohio—inc. 670,000
Indiana—inc. 199,000

Showing a remarkable increase in production in Ohio and Indiana with a decrease in Kentucky of practical 634,000 head annually.

With the high prices that have prevailed in the past few years, what is the reason for such a slump in the development of so important a farm product?

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T. S. ANDERSON PAROLED FROM EDDYVILLE PEN

After having served one year in the penitentiary at Eddyville, T. S. Anderson, a former Owensboro bank president, has been paroled. He was serving an eighteen months' sentence for swearing to a statement of the Daviess County Bank's condition that he knew to be false. On account of ill health, he was

granted a thirty days' respite from the penitentiary in April. He could not be paroled until he had served a year in prison. Before leaving Eddyville he went to the penitentiary and bade farewell to James H. Parrish, another Owensboro former bank president, and other friends. He has gone to Knoxville, Tenn., to make his home with the members of his family.

KING AND QUEEN OF JERSEYS FOR KENTUCKY

Allentown, Pa., May 30.—At the greatest sale of Jersey cattle ever held either in Europe or America, conducted to-day by T. S. Cooper at his Linden Grove farm at Coopersburg, near here, J. B. Haggin, of Lexington, bought the king of the herd, "Noble of Oaklands," for \$15,000, the record price for a bull. To top the climax Mr. Haggin an hour later paid another record price, securing "Lady Viola," the queen of the herd, for \$7,000, against sharp competition. This is said to be the highest price ever paid for a Jersey cow. Lady Viola is the mother of Noble of Oaklands, and the \$22,000 paid for the pair exceeds by \$6,000 any price heretofore paid for a brace of Jersey cattle.

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WICKERSHAM SAYS HE RECEIVED A BIG FEE

His Part from Sugar Trust Was
\$26,000—Sale of the
Friar Lands.

Washington, June 2.—That he received \$26,000 as his share of a fee from the sugar trust for services rendered by Henry W. Taft, brother of President Taft, while a member of the law firm of Strong & Cadwallier, was admitted by Attorney General Wickersham before the House committee on expenditures.

Wickersham said he had advised the United States Steel corporation on four or five occasions before he became Attorney General. After he left the law firm, Wickersham said that John Hays Hammond became connected with them.

When he rendered his famous opinion granting the sale of the friar lands to the sugar trust, however, Wickersham said he did not know Hammond represented the trust.

Wickersham said the \$200,000 settlement was made with the sugar trust following the short weight disclosures because he did not believe the Government had sufficient evidence to secure conviction.

In response to questions by Beall, Wickersham said he believed this was the best possible arrangement, despite the fact that the Government has access to the books and memorandum, showing fraudulent weights.

Heretofore he said he believed there had been an unwillingness on the part of the court to send men to jail under the criminal section because the law had not been construed by the highest court. "I think a change is coming," said Wickersham.

CUB REPORTER FAILED TO GET DRIFT OF ERRAND

Mr. Hitchcock, the news editor of the great daily, had only the junior reporter at hand, and news of a shooting case had come in.

A man had married a girl at 4 o'clock the afternoon before, and at 8 o'clock the same evening had shot at her five times.

"What shall I do?" asked the reporter.

"Get an interview from the girl," said Hitchcock.

"But I don't know what to ask her," objected the reporter.

Hitchcock got up from his chair walked over to the wall, and beat his head against the plaster three times. "I don't think you understand," he told the youth with as much patience as he could muster. "Married at 4 and shot at five times at 8. Go and get the story."

"Well, what shall I ask her?" queried the reporter.

Hitchcock, looking pained and grieved, said: "Ask her whether she considers the conduct of her husband an insult or merely studied indifference."

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FUN FOR THE MASSES.

Here are the facts about moving-picture shows in the United States. There are 13,000 of them and they entertain, on the average, 4,000,000 people every day.

In other words the public is spending \$102,000,000 a year for this form of diversion from dull care.

Moving pictures have driven other shows from 1,400 theaters and claim three times as many patrons as all other theaters now in existence.

The making of motion films employs an army of actors and workmen, and \$18,000,000 was spent for films last year.

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C. M. Barnett in Charge.

Louisville, Ky., June 3.—Headquarters have been opened for Judge O'Rear in rooms 375 and 377 at the Louisville hotel. C. M. Barnett, of Ohio county, is in charge, assisted by Fred Vnughan, of Paintsville, and R. H. White, of Mt. Sterling. The headquarters present a busy scene, getting out O'Rear literature. The headquarters of Col. Franks are located at the Victoria hotel and have been open for several days.

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NOTICE, DEMOCRATS!
Democratic State Primary Election, Saturday, July 1.

What's the matter with Hartford having a general clean-up day right soon?

The Tobacco Trust has also been ordered to dissolve. And now we'll all take snuff.

It was supposed we had a pretty hot time in Kentucky during the latter part of May. But the Republican State Convention is yet to come.

Control of the party machinery in Kentucky is more coveted by certain Republican leaders than the nomination and election of a Governor. Hence all this scrapping in K. O. P. ranks.

Col. C. M. Barnett, senior editor of the Hartford Republican, has been chosen as Judge O'Rear's campaign manager, with headquarters in Louisville. Hard to break away from the scenes of official life.

That loose macadam rock lying on some of Hartford's streets might be put in cold storage and saved until next winter. Then we'll need it and it can be put back in the middle of the road, where it came from.

An Evansville, (Ind.) man has invented a fire-proof treatment for paper money which he hopes to sell to the Government. Yet this will not make it any easier for misers to take it with them when they go home.

The Board of Health is a safeguard against sickness in every community where its services are obtainable. Its members should be allowed every consideration and privilege in performing their duty, so necessary to the health and welfare of a community.

Hartford is fast assuming city airs. Our baseball games are played out on the grounds and then verbally played over again by the local fans assembled in front of the stores at the twilight hour. The second playing is sometimes more exciting than the first.

An eminent physician of Philadelphia says that kissing ought to be prohibited by law, because it is dangerous. The doctor is about right. Many a fellow has been roped into the arena of matrimony by this method who would have been safe but for this risky habit.

It comes as a **dead** secret from numerous directions, ostensibly Republican in sentiment, that Franks is making his fight on O'Rear with the purpose that neither of them shall be nominated, resulting in the selection of Lieut. Gov. Cox. A pretty smooth scheme, with fine chances of coming true.

The small offender, when brought into court and convicted of a crime or offense against his country, is usually not given a season of months to reorganize his plan of operations, but "gets his" right there. It's different, however, with the trusts and big corporations. The difference is—ok, well, a few million dollars.

It has been nearly fifty years since the close of the Civil War and no body of men fought more valiantly in that terrible conflict than the famous Orphan Brigade. There are only a few—less than a dozen—of these erstwhile brave fighters left in Ohio county. Why not have a reunion of these few here at Hartford soon—a meeting in which all the citizens of the county could participate?

It is well for the voters of all parties to remember that in Kentucky, as elsewhere, the Liquor Trust has no politics. Its efforts are altogether in behalf of its own interests, and it cares nothing for what party or clan a man belongs whose vote or influence it can control. It has one of the most powerful and far-reaching organizations in the country, and while politics is its main field of operations, yet it is not politically dominated.

A strong editorial in the Louisville Times (reproduced in The Herald last week) calling on the Democratic press of Kentucky to join it in demanding certain much needed reforms through legislative action, coming from men who are now

candidates, has met with general response. The voters have a right to know what a candidate stands for, as embracing his actions after election to office. The "bill of fare," or welfare, held up by the Times is a good one and deserves the hearty and outspoken endorsement of every candidate for office.

The Lexington Leader and Owensboro Inquirer, taking up a matter which is important to all newspapers, both weekly and daily, are complaining because contributions to the press are often held off till the last hour or minute before being offered for publication. This is a matter which often vexes weeklies as well as dailies. People well acquainted with the day of publication of a paper, and having an item or a contribution for that issue, will hold it out until the proverbial eleventh hour, when it could just as easily have been brought in earlier. Contributors to the press—of reading matter or advertisements—should rush their articles in at the earliest possible moment, to receive proper attention.

Delivery of Wool.

We are requested to announce that all pooled wool in this county is expected to be delivered at Beaver Dam on June 8 and 9. All members of the Wool Growers' Association are urged to deliver their wool on these dates.

PARTY PAPER CRITICISMS JUDGE O'REAR'S CANDIDACY

The thousands of voters in Kentucky who stand for law and order can see no difference in Goebellizing the Commonwealth and in electing O'Rear Governor. O'Rear's candidacy is one of the most unfortunate things that has ever happened to the Republican party in Kentucky. O'Rear's political propaganda means personal violence instead of statute law. Judge O'Rear is the self-elected political dictator of the State and imagines he is above the law. The good voters of Kentucky will soon show him that they will stand for no Diaz stunts and will ram a few law-abiding ideas down his throat, not with bayonets, but with ballots.—[Maysville Ledger (Rep.)]

INCOME TAX AMENDMENT —HOW THE STATES STAND

Many of the States whose Legislatures have ratified the proposed income tax amendment have not certified the fact to the State department at Washington.

The following named States have ratified the income tax amendment: Alabama, Arkansas, California, Colorado, Georgia, Idaho, Illinois, Indiana, Iowa, Kansas, Kentucky, Maine, Maryland, Michigan, Mississippi, Missouri, Montana, Nebraska, Nevada, North Carolina, North Dakota, Ohio, Oklahoma, Oregon, South Carolina, South Dakota, Tennessee, Texas, Washington, Wisconsin.

The following named States have refused to ratify: New Jersey, Vermont, Rhode Island, Minnesota, West Virginia, New Hampshire, Louisiana, Virginia, Utah and Massachusetts.

NEWSPAPER FRIENDSHIP —WHAT IT AMOUNTS TO

A newspaper has innumerable opportunities to boost and extend courtesies of various kinds to people, and is generally willing to do so. In doing these things it does not expect any direct pay. But there are people who will accept boosts and favors from a paper, and then when an opportunity comes to reciprocate, they forget all about them and give it the cold shoulder. For this kind of people the newspaper has a good memory. The friendship of a newspaper is worth something, for the newspaper always returns more boosting than it receives. No man lives who does not at some time in his life, and perhaps oftener, ask for and receive favors from a newspaper. Then is when the editor's memory comes to his aid.—[Clarron (Kan.) Jacksonian.]

"Undue" or "Unreasonable." Accurate indeed, is the comment of a prominent Philadelphia business man who writes to the North American that this usurped judicial legislative action finds a parallel only in a passage from a sermon supposed to have been delivered to a congregation of great wealth:

"Brethren, you must repent as it were, and be converted, in a measure, or else you may be damned to some extent."—[Editorial in the Philadelphia North American on the Supreme Court's trust decision.]

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HIGH SPOTS OF TAFT'S RECENT CHICAGO SPEECH

Declares Canadian Reciprocity Bill Will be Great Benefit to Farmers.

Following are striking utterances in President Taft's reciprocity speech in Chicago last week:

"The interests are trying to block the reciprocity agreement with Canada with hostile amendments. The people approve the agreement."

"The American farmer will suffer no injury whatever. On the contrary he will be benefited by it."

"Canada will have 30,000,000 people some day, and it would be a shortsighted policy that would fail to provide means to capture this trade."

"Six months from the time the agreement is ratified there will be no opposition whatever from any quarter, for the administration will prove its own worth."

"Canada cannot and does not raise more than one-sixth of 1 per cent of the crop of the United States. The United States exports into Canada 15 times as much meat and dairy products as Canada exports into the United States."

"The world price of wheat, barley, rye and oats is fixed abroad, where the surplus of the producing countries is disposed of, and is little affected by the place from which the supply is derived."

"The reciprocity agreement should pass the Senate, and I believe it will pass."

Notice.

All claims against the estate of James Wysong, deceased, should be filed with me at once.

G. B. LIKENS, Attorney.
2312 Hartford, Ky.

INQUIRY AS TO IDENTITY OF COL. C. M. BARNETT

Is the C. M. Barnett, of Hartford, now in charge of Judge O'Rear's headquarters at the Louisville Hotel, the same C. M. Barnett who, in the Hartford Republican, assailed the Herald because it dared to stand for the progressive policies which Judge O'Rear is now advocating, and on which he is making the race for the Republican nomination for Governor? Can it be that Mr. Barnett has seen the light? Slowly, but surely, the great mass of the Republicans and Democrats of Kentucky are becoming progressive.—[Louisville Herald.]

DOG LEADS MASTER TO BODY OF DEAD WOMAN

Scottsboro, Ala., June 4.—That while temporarily insane she wandered away from her home and finally died of hunger and thirst, is the generally accepted explanation of the disappearance two weeks ago of Mrs. J. M. Skelton, wife of a prominent farmer of this place, whose body was found yesterday.

All human agencies having been exhausted in a search which continued unceasingly for more than ten days, it was left to a little mongrel dog to locate the body, and by his frantic appeals, to lead Tom Gentle, his master, to the spot.

A WINGED SEA SERPENT CHASES YOUNG WHALES

New York, June 4.—Passengers and crew of the White Star Line steamship Celtic brought with them to New York to-day a rival of the sea serpent tales of other years. They reported having passed early yesterday morning a formidable-looking creature which was going at high speed in pursuit of a school of young whales. The monster, they said, had wings, although it appeared to be an aquatic animal, and rose frequently ten feet or more from the water. Whales and pursuer faded from sight within a few minutes.

BEGINNING OF THE SNAKE SEASON IN TRIGG COUNTY

Cadiz, Ky., June 3.—Trigg county never allows any other section of the State to outdo her in any respect, not even in snake tales, and credit is due John Skillion, the Star route mail carrier between here and Rock Castle, for maintaining the county's reputation along this line.

Yesterday, while on his way from Rock Castle with the mail, he came upon a large chicken snake near the road, and succeeding in capturing it. He tied it with a string and put it in the back of his buggy and brought it on to town with him, still alive. After arriving here he created a great deal of excitement and curiosity by untying his captive and taking it around town with him, wrapped about his body and holding it by the neck. The snake measur-

ed just six feet long and was as large around as a man's arm. John made a cage for his pet and left it here last night.

John came to Rock Castle several years ago with a little show and these "sideshow" instincts continue to "crop out" from time to time.

But John is not to have all the "snake honors" by himself, for yesterday afternoon Misses Lela and Ruth Hughes, daughters of the late Ham Hughes, living two miles west of here, killed a large black racer in their dining-room that measured six feet and five inches long.

And this is just the beginning of the "snake season" in Trigg county.

MAGAN.

June 5.—The farmers of this community are in need of a tobacco season.

Misses Viola Westerfield and Lizzie Muffett, of this place, attended church at Friendship Sunday.

Mrs. Maude Stephens, Messrs. C. E. Miller and J. W. Muffett went to Hartford Monday on business.

Mr. J. A. Westerfield and family spent Sunday the guests of Mrs. Crease Midkiff, near Dundee.

Mr. and Mrs. C. E. Miller spent Sunday afternoon with Mrs. J. H. Miller, of near Dundee.

Little Miss Helen Westerfield has measles.

Miss Winnie Westerfield and Master Orfa Magan, who have had measles, are able to be out again.

Mr. and Mrs. Walter Midkiff spent Sunday night the guests of Mr. and Mrs. Laurence Ralph, near Ralph.

MINER BADLY CRUSHED— CAUGHT BY CAGE IN SHAFT.

James J. Johnson, an employe at the Fern Hills mine, in Daviess county, was badly injured Saturday at the mine, when he was caught between the cage and frame work in the shaft of the mine and was severely mangled in the abdomen and on the lower limbs. The man was hurried to Owensboro and taken to the city hospital, where he was attended by Mr. Watkins. Johnson is reported to have greatly improved.

An examination of the injuries proved that he was not injured internally, and it is thought it will be but a short time till he is again able to be out and back at his work.

MANY DEATHS CAUSED FROM RECKLESS DRIVING

"As certain as there is a United States, a fearful condition of anarchy will result if the killing and maiming of children by vehicle traffic is not stopped," is the statement of Col. Edward S. Cornell, secretary of the National Highways Protective Association, and his statement is no cause for wonder when the figures showing the number of deaths, in New York City alone, of children by being run over by reckless drivers of wagons, hacks, automobiles, etc.

In New York City 300 children were killed by being run over in 1910, classified in part as follows: 91 by wagons, 42 by automobiles and 50 by trolley cars. At the present time an average of one child a day is killed in New York in such accidents as the three mentioned.—[Owensboro Inquirer.]

MARRIAGE LICENSE.

Ray Cook, Arnold, to Addie Finley, Balzatown.

D. L. Fisher, McHenry, to Fannie Carnes, McHenry.

F. E. McIntire, Render, to Edna D. Carter, Render.

Jesse Jewell, Moorman, to Myrtle Miller, Hartford.

Robert Francis, McHenry, to Beryl Hooke, McHenry.

Strawberries Bring \$500,000.

The strawberry crop in the New Albany (Ind.) district, which is perhaps the most extensive berry-growing district in the world, is a record breaker this year. The yield is unusually large, and fully 25 per cent. is added this year to the acreage of the berry fields. With a fair price throughout the season the growers will receive for their fruit nearly \$500,000.

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White Plymouth Rocks. Good layers. Bred from prize winners. Stock and eggs for sale.

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Do You Get the Best?

If you have a cough, cold, asthma, croup or any throat or bronchial trouble and use Dr. Bell's Pine-Tar-Honey, you do. Look for the bell on the bottle.

Old Papers, Lots of 'Em—For sale at The Herald office. To go on shelves or under carpets or for blasting purposes. Five cents per large package.

Cool Underwear

For Men, Women and Children.

We are showing quite a nice assortment of Men's Summer Underwear in Balbrigan Shirts and Drawers, Long and Short Sleeve Shirts, Knee and Ankle Length Drawers.

Porous Knit Shirts, short sleeves
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Ladies' Knit and Muslin Underwear of Every Sort.

VESTS, PANTS, SKIRTS and CORSET COVERS. Anything you may need in Underwear we can furnish.

Vests priced at each 10c, 15c, 25c, 50c.

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We are at your service for a look.

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BEAVER DAM, KENTUCKY.

ATTENTION!

Dear Friends:—

We want to again call your attention to the nice premiums we are giving away with *Cash* purchases. Dozens of our customers have taken advantage of our coupon offer—why not you? Begin saving coupons to-day and when you have a sufficient amount, exchange them for this beautiful *Silver Tableware*. Tickets given with cash purchases amounting to 25 cents and over.

HARTFORD GROCERY COMPANY.

PRISONER WALKS INTO PENITENTIARY

Makes No Effort to Escape—
Calmly Waits for Officer
to Arrive.

Frankfort, Ky., June 5.—"Has a Deputy Sheriff from Bell county been here? I am William Hill and I am to serve five years in this place."

This rather surprising announcement was made to the clerk of the penitentiary this morning by a tall, good looking man, who walked into the office at the entrance of the prison. The guards and Col. E. E. Mudd, the warden, began to question the man. He said his name was Hill and that he had been brought to Frankfort by a Deputy Sheriff from Bell county, but had become separated from the officer in the crowd about the L. & N. depot. Hill said he thought the officer had gone on to the penitentiary and as he knew the way, Hill went on to the prison.

As there were no commitment papers, the warden could not receive Hill as a prisoner and the soon-to-be convict sat on a bench in front of the penitentiary for an hour waiting for the Deputy Sheriff to appear with the papers. That official finally appeared and Hill was admitted as a convict. The deputy said he knew that Hill would make no effort to escape and could be trusted, so he had not paid much

attention to his prisoner after they alighted from the train. The deputy stopped to talk to an acquaintance he met on the depot platform and became separated from his prisoner. When he missed Hill he made a short search and then went to the prison, expecting to find Hill there. He was not disappointed.

Hill killed a man, who, it is said, was attacking his father and about to crush his head with a stone. He also shot another man who started to draw a weapon, after he first killing. The case attracted some attention at the time, and now that Hill has showed his honesty, it is likely that an effort will be made to shorten his prison term.

Biliousness and Constipation.
For years I was troubled with biliousness and constipation, which made life miserable for me. My appetite failed me. I lost my usual force and vitality. Pepsin preparations and cathartics only made matters worse. I do not know where I should have been to-day had I not tried Chamberlain's Stomach and Liver Tablets. The tablets relieve the ill feeling at once, strengthen the digestive functions, purify the stomach, liver and blood, helping the system to do its work naturally.—Miss Rosa Potts, Birmingham, Ala. These tablets are for sale by all dealers.

State Bankers to Meet.
Louisville, Ky., June 3.—The executive committee of the State Bankers Association have decided to hold the annual meeting of the association at Lexington in October.

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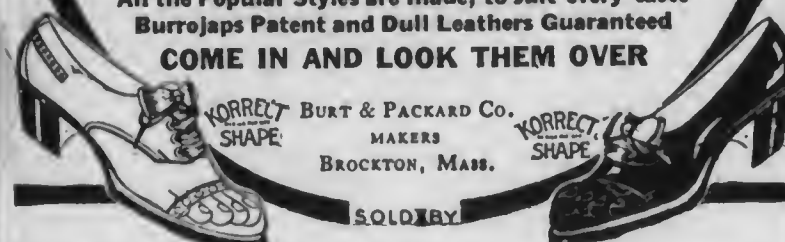
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FARMERS, Attention.

We will offer for the next two weeks at 25 per cent discount the celebrated **James Oliver Disc Cultivators, Moline Cultivators, J. I. Case Disc Harrows** and many other farming implements. We are also agents for the famous **Deering Mowers and Binders**. Now is your time to supply yourselves with implements. We want to clean up these lines. Watch our ad. from time to time. Yours truly,

DUNDEE MERCANTILE CO., INCORPORATED.
DUNDEE, KENTUCKY.

Illinois Central Railroad—Time Table at Beaver Dam, Ky.
North Bound. South Bound.
No. 132—4:05 a.m. No. 121—11:35 p.m.
No. 122—12:28 p.m. No. 101—2:48 p.m.
No. 102—3:48 p.m. No. 131—8:55 p.m.
J. E. Williams, Agt.

Mr. Park Taylor has accepted a position at Schroeder's grocery.

Flowers and Flower Pots for sale by E. T. Williams, Hartford, 13tf
Several responded to my other request for settlement. Did you?
23tf E. W. FORD, M. D.

Mrs. Dr. E. W. Ford, who has been ill for some time, is improving.

W. H. Moore & Son, Hartford, will pay cash for Ginseng and Yellow-root.

Mrs. G. B. Henry, of Madisonville, is the guests of Mr. and Mrs. E. T. Williams.

Mr. Hoyt Taylor has accepted a position with the Hartford Grocery Company.

Mr. R. D. Walker has accepted a position as salesman at the New York Store.

Miss Geneva Rhoads, of Union City, Tenn., is the guest of Miss Flora Riley, city.

Many street sections of Hartford are covered with a mass of high weeds that need cutting badly.

Eags, J. L. Patton, Ralph; J. H. Miles, Rockport; Thomas Sanders, Olaton, route 1; O. E. Scott, Prentiss, and Mack Cook, Arnold, were among The Herald's callers Friday.

Mr. C. B. B. Felix, Olaton, S. P. McDowell, Dundee and Albert Cox, Hartford, Route 1, were among our callers yesterday.

Preaching at Mt. Hermon next Sunday at 11 a. m. and 8 p. m. The Sacrament of the Lord's Supper will be administered at the 11 o'clock service.

Miss Nellie Woodward, after a week's visit here to her parents, left Monday for Burkesville, Ky., to resume her work as stenographer for a law firm there.

Messrs. Jesse and Clifton Schreter, the photographers, arrived at the Hartford wharf Saturday with their floating studio. They will probably remain here several months.

Mrs. J. O. McKinney, and children, of Taylor Mines, and Mrs. Dr. Z. H. Shultz, of Pleasant Ridge, are the guests of the ladies' parents, Mr. and Mrs. J. P. Sanderfur, on Union street.

Mr. Reithel Duke launched his new gasoline boat, "Little Duke," recently built and completed by himself, here Saturday, and he and his wife made an initial trip from here to Livermore and return.

The dedication of the Baptist Church at Concord, a few miles east of Hartford, last Sunday was a big affair and largely attended. The debt was fully liquidated and dinner, for all, was served at the noon hour.

In the auction sale here last Monday of what is known as the Griffin property (old jail building) located on the corner of Main and Washington streets, Dr. E. W. Ford became the purchaser at the price of \$2,075.

Robert Lewis, two-year-old son of Mr. and Mrs. Grover Bennett, of Route 2, died Wednesday night. Funeral services were held at the Noreek church Thursday afternoon, and interment followed at the Carson burying ground.

Prof. T. H. Smith, formerly vice president of Hartford College and one of the veteran teachers of Hopkins county, will next fall take charge of the school at Pembroke, Ky. He has been engaged in the profession for more than forty years.

Messrs. Otto C. Martin, Raymer Tinsley and Douglas Felix, who have been attending State University, Lexington; McHenry Holbrook, who has been attending college at Winchester and Allison Barnett, who has been attending Vanderbilt University have arrived home.

SCHRETER'S FLOATING STUDIO is lying at the Hartford wharf. If you want photographs, have them made now. We have done work on the boat in this county for a number of years and you know what we can do for you in the picture line. Give us a call.

THE SCHRETERS.

Don't forget the handsome Chinaware presents given away every two weeks by the Ohio County Drug Company—Griffin's old stand. For each dollar's worth of drugs or other goods bought, you get a guess at a hidden number, which wins the prize. A ticket given with every cash purchase. 2014

The Hartford Players' Club will present "A Couple of Curious Courtships" at the Opera House next Friday night. It is a three-act comedy and amusing throughout. The members of the club have been practicing for some time. Special scenery la being made for the production and the latest songs will be sung.

At 2 p. m. Wednesday, June 14, Miss Flora Roll, youngest daughter of Mr. and Mrs. O. C. Roll, Greenville, Ky., will be united in marriage to Mr. Ed Yonts, of Princeton, Ky. The marriage will be at the home of the bride, where a reception will be given, after which the young couple leave for a trip to California.

Attorney W. H. Barnes has bought the little house boat of Mr. Josh Crowe, formerly moored at the Hartford wharf. He and his son Glenn Barnes left Monday for a few days fishing trip down the river. They were towed by Mr. C. E. Smith's gasoline launch, Mary, which also took a party of fishers down stream.

The Ohio County Teachers' Institute will be held in Hartford this year beginning August 28. Prof. Fred Mutchler, of Bowling Green, has been engaged as instructor. He was engaged for the institute last year, but was unable to attend. The program for the institute will be arranged in due time by Supt. Leach and announced.

Mr. and Mrs. R. A. Nance, Hartford, route 7; Burgess Austin, Prentiss; W. L. Sherfield, West Hartford; Alvin Rowe, Centertown; W. B. Crabtree, Hartford, route 1; Mire

Minton, Horton; Q. B. Brown, Hartford, route 4; Wm. Potts and daughter, Hartford, route 2; Martin Keith and Verge Stewart, Horse Branch, and John Keith, Beaver Dam, were among our recent callers.

Mr. Charles Magan, who had been spending the past three weeks with friends and relatives in Hartford and vicinity, left for Owensboro Tuesday where, after visiting friends and relatives for a week or ten days, he will leave for his home at Kansas City, Mo., where he has been a very successful stock dealer for the past few years.

Mr. J. F. Miller, Flourney, Ky., and State representative of the Acme Harvesting Machine Co., accompanied by Judge J. M. Porter, were among The Herald's recent callers. Mr. Miller was spending a few days with his old friends and relatives, many of whom he had not seen for several years, he having moved from Beaver Dam twenty odd years ago.

Mr. and Mrs. R. A. Nofsinger delightfully entertained at their home Thursday evening for Miss Ada Frank, who left Monday for her home at Rockport, Ind. Those present were Misses Gertrude Wright, Adah Frank, Edith Carson, Popple Nall, Eva Taylor, Margaret and Jesse Nall; Messrs. Ellis Foster, C. E. Smith, J. Ney Foster, H. S. Sanders and Dr. Elvis Carson, of Corbin, Ky.

The Hartford postoffice handled 68,853 pieces of mail during the month of May just passed. This careful count was made according to instructions sent out from postoffice headquarters at Washington to postmasters throughout the country. It goes without saying that the efficient chief clerk, Miss Gunthre and assistant, Miss Mills were kept very busy during last month on account of this extra duty.

"A Couple of Curious Courtships," to be presented at Dr. Bean's Opera House next Friday night, is being looked forward to with bright anticipation. Much careful preparation has been indulged in by the Club, and special scenery will give the play a city effect. It is said to be as fully of fun and mirth-provoking situations as an eggshell is of egg. There will be special music, latest song hits and vaudeville sketches between acts. The admission will be nominal, as usual, and seats are now on sale at the Ohio County Drug Co.'s store.

By a unanimous vote of the Fiscal Court in special session at Hartford last Friday, an order was entered directing C. E. Smith, County Attorney, representing the joint commissioners, C. E. Smith, W. H. Taylor and C. E. Butler, to procure a writ of mandamus in the Grayson Circuit Court against the Fiscal Court of said county requiring it to show cause why an order shall not be entered directing the appointment of a commissioner or commissioners with authority to agree upon plans and to enter into a contract for the erection of a bridge across Rough river at Hites Falls.

Strayed

From slaughter pen near Hartford last Friday, one ewe sheep, about two years old. Reward for information or return to W. H. Moore & Son, Hartford, Ky.

Heartfelt Thanks.

We wish to thank our friends and neighbors for their kindness shown us during the illness and death of our dear son, Samuel Lee. God's blessing is promised to those who aid in distress, and their reward is sure in heaven. If we should not, as we wish, find it possible to return it here.

Gratefully,

Mr. and Mrs. W. F. Schapmire.

Notice.

Those who have stock to ship will please notify the committee, Thursday or Friday—wool delivery days—at Beaver Dam.

W. B. TICHENOR.

K. of P. Memorial Service.

The annual Knights of Pythias memorial service will be held in Hartford by Rough River Lodge No. 110 at the Baptist church on next Sunday. The sermon will be delivered by Knight Rev. J. W. Bruner at the regular morning hour for service. Seats will be reserved for the Knights, who will march in a body from the lodge hall. In the afternoon services will be held at Oakwood cemetery and graves of members of the order strewn with flowers. Everybody is invited to the services, as usual.

Horses For Sale.

Two eight-year-old work horses; one four-year-old mare with colt; two three-year-old mares. Call on JOE R. WILLIAMS, Beaver Dam, Ky.

21tf
Subscribe for The Hartford Herald.

OHIO COUNTY WINS OUT IN THE FEDERAL COURT

Judge Evans Renders Judgment
—Dr. Baird Note Will Not
Have to be Paid.

Judge Evans has handed down a decision in the case of A. B. Baird against Ohio county, in which the plaintiff's petition is dismissed, and the county is given judgment for its costs.

This suit was brought several years ago to recover on two notes aggregating over \$10,000, which it was alleged were given Baird by the Fiscal Court in full settlement of a lot of claims that were held against the county, and purchased by Baird.

Ohio county filed an answer denying that it owed either of said notes, and on a hearing of the case, judgment was rendered in favor of Baird on one of the notes for over \$5,000, and the petition dismissed as to the other one. On an appeal by the county, the United States Circuit Court of Appeals reversed Judge Evans, and on a second hearing of the case, the plaintiff's suit is dismissed absolutely.

DEATH OF MRS. GREGORY—REMAINS BROUGHT BACK.

Mrs. Zelma Berry Gregory, widow of Judge Wm. F. Gregory, who died in Hartford about 22 years ago, passed away at the home of her daughter, Mrs. Henry Butler, at Charleston, S. C., last Friday, June 2, after a protracted illness of liver trouble. Her remains were brought back to Hartford and interred beside her husband in Oakwood cemetery. The corpse arrived Monday and funeral services were conducted by Pastor J. W. Bruner at the Baptist church, of which she was a faithful member and where she taught a class of boys in the Sunday School many years ago. The interment followed.

Mrs. Gregory left Hartford with her daughters, Annie and Parkie, and son Roy, about fourteen years ago, going to some point in Georgia. She was a daughter of Dr. Berry, one of the most noted physicians of Ohio county, and a good woman of rare intellectual traits. The Gregory family is well and pleasantly remembered by our older citizens.

Relatives who accompanied the corpse to Hartford were: Mr. and Mrs. Alonzo Walker, of Louisville; Mr. and Mrs. Henry Butler, of Charleston, S. C.; Mr. and Mrs. John Camden, of Jacksonville, Fla., and her brother, Dr. John Morgan Berry, of Leitchfield, Ky. Her son Roy, who lives at Atlanta, Ga., was with her in her last illness, but was unable to accompany her remains all the way back to the old home town for burial.

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BASEBALL.

The game of baseball here Friday between the Hartford First team and a picked nine resulted in a tie, though the latter claimed it by several scores on an alleged foul ball. The announced game between Hickory and Hartford Saturday was called off by the former. In the afternoon Saturday a game was played at Beaver Dam between the team of that place and the Hartford First nine which resulted in a score of 7 to 12 in favor of the Beaver Dam boys. One of the features of the game was the pitching and batting of Allison Barnett, of Hartford, who pitched fine ball and knocked two home runs. Lee Stevens, of Beaver Dam, did fine playing, knocking a home run, as did also Herbert King, of Hartford. The pitching of Peters, of Beaver Dam, was excellent, as the result of the game showed. Mr. J. C. Her, of Hartford, was umpire of the game, and his decisions were uniformly fair. His work was much appreciated by both sides.

A game will be played at Hartford next Saturday between the home First team and the Island Station team.

When Should Glasses Be Worn?

When one has to turn the light very high to see to read; when he has to hold the print too far away from his eyes; when he has to hold the print under his nose; when his eyes ache and water; when he has headaches, which headache powders won't cure; when things look misty or double; when his eyes trouble him in this way it is time for him to have them examined.

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The best makes of Violet and other popular odors.

Cigars, Imported and Key West—
The best known brands.

Tooth Brushes—
The kind that retain their bristles.

The Hartford Herald

WEDNESDAY, JUNE 7, 1911.

M. H. & E. RAILROAD TIME TABLE AT HARTFORD, KY.

Time table effective Sunday, Dec. 4th, contains the following schedule:

No. 112 North Bound due 7:20 a. m. Daily except Sunday.

No. 114 North Bound due 3:40 p. m. Daily except Sunday.

No. 115 South Bound due 8:55 a. m. Daily except Sunday.

No. 113 South Bound due 1:40 p. m. Daily except Sunday.

H. E. MISCHKE, Agt.

DAMAGE SUITS HELP AND HURT

Mostly the Latter, Regarding All Concerned.

TOO MUCH OF THIS CHARACTER
Of Litigation, Which Has Become Almost An Organized Raid.

FAIR STATEMENT OF THE CASE

The following clipping from the Corpus Christi (Texas) Caller, regarding damage suits against railroads and corporations in general, is not only true of Texas, but is true of Kentucky. If there isn't a halt called along these lines, it will be the ruin of the railroads and put them out of business. There is little gained in the long run to the people. The Caller says:

"That damage suit raids are an increasing evil as an easy method of 'sinking down the corporations,' is shown by the last annual report of the State Railway Commission just issued.

"While no fair-minded person can question the wisdom or justice of making the carriers responsible for the losses of property or life and limb they occasion through no fault of the victims, this character of litigation, so profitable to attorneys, has in some communities deteriorated into an organized raid. Machines for the purpose are built up in some instances, consisting of leaguers or 'ambulance chasers,' detectives to ferret or invent evidence, and jury spotters or fixers. Back of it all are shrewd, keen legal sharks in their dens, pulling all the strings and financing the raid, for the lion's share of the pelf. The hopeless victim, or heirs of the same, for whom the law was made, gets but a small part of the booty.

"The Caller would not cast aspersions upon its reputable lawyer friends; nor upon those who engage in legitimate damage suits. It knows many of them to be clean and honorable men. However, there are enough others engaged in reprehensible practices to disgrace their profession. So vast are their operations that the results are proving a serious economic factor in the railroad situation in this State.

"During the fiscal year ending June 30, 1910, payments for personal injuries by Texas roads aggregated \$2,360,258.29, being an increase of \$150,105.14 over personal injury payments for the previous year, when a total of \$2,190,156.75 was paid out by the roads of this State on this score.

"For the year ending June 30, 1909, personal injury payments aggregated 2.42 per cent. of the gross receipts of Texas roads. For the year ending June 30, 1910, personal injury payments aggregated 2.49 per cent. of gross receipts.

"Further analyzed it is found there was a decrease of 7.69 per cent. in amounts paid out in settlement for injuries and deaths for the year 1910 as compared with 1909.

"The Caller holds no brief to defend the railroads. It views with satisfaction the wise legislation of the State and Federal Governments to regulate them and prevent corporate injustice to the people. Texas not only limits stock and bond issues, but fixes freight and passenger rates and conditions of service.

"Despite this fact it is still the practice of a cheap John class of demagogues to herate the railroads and all other capitalized industries.

"Prejudice is thus fomented among the less informed classes. This prejudice not only serves a political purpose in some instances, but does double duty in the jury box. From it springs the morally lax and unfair disposition of juries

to 'stick the railroad' regardless of the merits of a case.

"Such jurors not only permit themselves to be influenced by a dishonest motive, but are mistaken as to the financial benefit to result from this legalized, but immoral robbery.

"They are in fact voting money out of their own pockets instead of rifling the coffers of the carrier. The corporation can reimburse itself in a higher freight rate. The damage suit judgments are an expense item taken cognizance of by the commission in fixing compensatory rates above all expenses.

"In Texas just now, especially in our part of Texas, the great need of the hour is more railroads and lower freight rates. Every time a petit jury awards a small fortune to a legal shark on a trumped up damage suit, the same jurors and their neighbors, in an indirect manner, have to pay the judgment out of their own toll and industry."

OPEN DOOR OF SUCCESS SPREADS TO ALL ALIKE

Success is not limited to any class or condition. An estate valued at close to \$1,000,000 was recently disposed of by the will of John Lahey, of New Hyde Park, Long Island, the document being signed with an X, as its author could neither read nor write. When Lahey, without any money, came to this country 45 years ago, he secured a job at \$1 a day and with the first money saved he began to purchase real estate. This enhanced rapidly in value and he continued to buy in the same far-seeing way, until at the time of his death he was worth almost a million dollars.

Peter Aggergard, a Danish farmer of South Dakota, has been even more successful, his fortune in lands, stock and farm mortgages exceeding at the present time \$2,000,000. He, too, arrived in America without education or money, but endowed with natural business gifts and tremendous industry. Taking up a homestead in Dakota, he steadily put his profits into more land, until now he owns 24,480 acres. When no longer able to buy at \$50 an acre, he puts his surplus into farm mortgages.—[Leslie's Weekly.

The Best Remedy
For all kinds of sore eyes is Sutherland's Eagle Eye Salve. It is a creamy snow white ointment and would not injure the eyes of a babe. Guaranteed. 25c. m

Sayings of Famous Men.
George Washington (at Trenton): "If any fool rooks the boat, my lads, throw him overboard!"
Gordius: "There, I guess that'll hold you for a while."

AJAX: "Go to thunder!"
William Shakespeare: "Calling for the author, are they? Tell 'em to wait about 300 years."

John Tyler: "I'm going to do a little tip-a-canoe business myself!"

Dr. Tanner: "I'd rather do this than eat!"—[Chicago Tribune.

Was Fight For Life.
It was a long and bloody battle for life that was waged by James B. Mershon, of Newark, N. J., of which he writes: "I had lost much blood from lung hemorrhages and was very weak and run down. For eight months I was unable to work. Death seemed close on my heels, when I began, three weeks ago, to use Dr. King's New Discovery. But it has helped me greatly. It is doing all that you claim." For weak, sore lungs, obstinate coughs, stubborn colds, hoarseness, la grippe, asthma, hay-fever or any throat or lung trouble, it's supreme. 50c. m \$1.00. Trial bottle free. Guaranteed by James H. Williams. m

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"Comiteca" is the name given to a spirituous liquor manufactured in Comitán, State of Chiapas, Mexico; it is an exclusive local product, since in no other part of the country is anything similar produced; the species of maguey or agave, from which it is distilled thrives only within a radius of ten or twelve miles, outside of which the agave plants have, it is true, certain alcoholic properties, but in comparison little adapted to the distillation of this class of liquor.

The uniform success that has attended the use of Chamberlain's Colic, Cholera and Diarrhoea Remedy has made it a favorite everywhere. It can always be depended upon. For sale by all dealers. m

A Give-a-Way.
"Ma, I didn't know the Swifts kept horses."

"They don't, my dear. What made you think so?"

"I heard a telling a man on the street yesterday that Mrs. Swift has the finest carriage of any woman he knows."

MAD DOG TALK.

(Elizabethtown News.)

Now that there is considerable mad dog talk about Elizabethtown, the following story will be interesting. Mr. J. R. Ashlock says his father, who was a physician practicing near White Mills, in this county, left in his books a record of a case where one of his patients died from hydrophobia eighteen years after he was bitten by a mad dog and that rabies only set up a short while before his death.

Mr. Wesley Reed tells of an acquaintance of his who lived eighteen years after he was bitten by a mad dog.

In Hart county John Caswell, now a middle aged man, was bitten on the ankle more than twenty years ago by a copperhead snake. A chicken was killed and while it was still warm, was applied to the wound and he got well, but every year during the month of May it becomes necessary to apply the chicken to the same place to ease his intense suffering.

There have been two or three cases in Hardin county where people have died from rabies brought about by the bite of a mad dog.

The mad stone idea, while not believed in by the scientific world, is resorted to by many people. We never knew of a case where the person who used a madstone ever died of hydrophobia.

Sir Walter Scott wrote a novel where he describes how the life of King Richard of England was saved from a stab from a poisoned dagger by the application of the talisman, which is nothing more than what we call a madstone.

Dogs go mad in either extreme hot or extreme cold weather.

Many people believe rabies in dogs is produced by toothache.

Prof. Pasteur, of France, discovered a sure preventive of hydrophobia and this treatment is furnished free by the Government at one place in every State. Bowling Green is the city in Kentucky.

A SITUATION WHICH IS UNPRECEDENTED

The political situation in Washington is unprecedented in the country's history.

President Taft called a special session of Congress to consider and act upon certain matters which he deemed of overmastering importance to the welfare of the nation.

The House of Representatives, overwhelmingly in opposition to Mr. Taft in party politics, immediately and enthusiastically acted in accordance with the President's recommendations.

The Senate, controlled by men of Mr. Taft's party, is placing every obstacle in the way of favorable action on the matters for consideration of which the special session was called.

The House, entirely under domination of opponents of the party which elected Mr. Taft, in shortest possible time and with utmost cheerfulness, proceeded to do its part towards reading the Taft policies into the records of the nation's lawmaking body.

By every device known to obstructionists and every trick with which political demagogues are familiar, the Republican majority in the upper branch of Congress seeks to defeat the wishes and policy of the President chosen by the party of which that majority constitutes an important element.

Yes, the situation is unprecedented. And the people understand where the responsibility is to be placed.—[Chicago Journal.

A Charming Woman

Is one who is lovely in face, form, mind and temper. But it's hard for a woman to be charming without health. A weak, sickly woman will be nervous and irritable. Constipation and kidney poisons show in pimples, blotches, skin eruptions and a wretched complexion. But Electric Bitters always prove a godsend to women who want health, beauty and friends. They regulate stomach, liver and kidneys, purify the blood; give strong nerves, bright eyes, pure breath, smooth, velvety skin, lovely complexion and perfect health. Try them. 50c at James H. Williams. m

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may be printed for \$50, a small office in the Wall street district may be rented for \$25 a month, a glittering "sucker list" of 10,000 names will cost but \$100, the "millions in it" letters may be sent to the 10,000 for \$200, a stenographer may be engaged for a month for \$40, while \$200 will pay for a sixteen-line advertisement in the "Business Opportunities" columns of 100 of the leading newspapers of the country, from Maine to California, leaving \$175 for incidentals. And many a million-dollar company—"the greatest investment of a lifetime"—is launched with as thin a shell.—[Leslie's Weekly.

Fatal to Gardening.

"I notice that your garden doesn't look very promising this year."

"No, every time my husband got to digging in it he found a lot of worms, and they always reminded him of his fishing tackle."

POEMS YOU'LL ENJOY.

The Herald's Special Selections.

THE ANT AND THE SLUGGARD.

Consider the life of the sluggard, O ant!

Why ruin your lungs with that torturing pant?

Why climb with your burden those wearisome steeps,

While the sluggard at ease so restfully sleeps?

He drifts without care on a river of dreams,

While the sweat from your forehead is running in streams;

And when lean from your labor your hoardings you crunch,

He'll feed, fresh and fat, at the charity lunch.

'Twixt cradle and grave but brief is your race

If you gallop through life at this strenuous pace;

To your ruinous folly pray open your eyes;

Consider the sluggard, O ant, and be wise!

—[Lippincott's.

\$100 Reward, \$100.

The readers of this paper will be pleased to learn that there is at least one dreaded disease that science has been able to cure in all its stages, and that is Catarrh. Hall's Catarrh Cure is the only positive cure now known to the medical fraternity. Catarrh being a constitutional disease, requires a constitutional treatment. Hall's Catarrh Cure is taken internally, acting directly upon the blood and mucous surfaces of the system, thereby destroying the foundation of the disease, and giving the patient strength by building up the constitution and assisting nature in doing its work. The proprietors have so much faith in its curative powers that they offer One Hundred Dollars for any case that it fails to cure. Send for list of testimonials. Address,

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"What's the matter, Bilkins? You look discouraged," said Silthers.

"I am," said Bilkins. "I had to discharge the cook this morning. She was on the rampage all night."

"Fine!" laughed Silthers. "What did you say to her?"

"I told her to leave the house," said Bilkins.

"And did she?" asked Silthers.

"She did," sighed Bilkins, "but you wouldn't know it for the same house after she'd left it."

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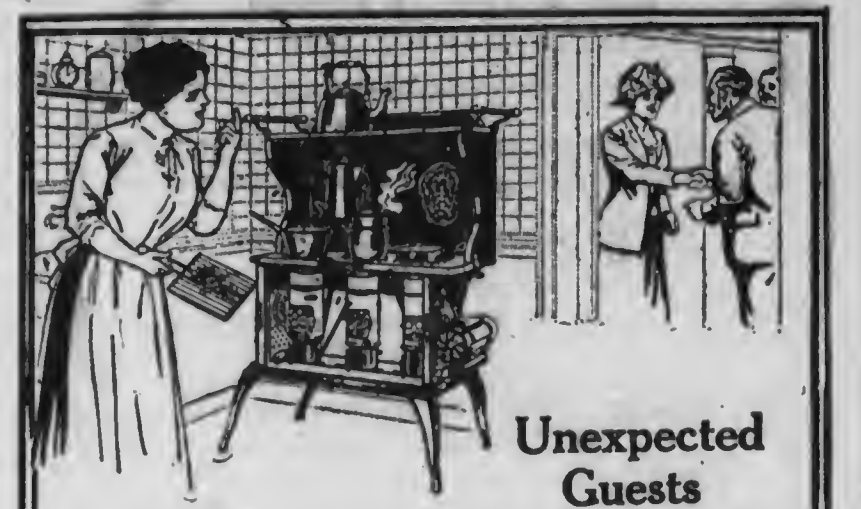
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If you have any considerable number of the above symptoms you are suffering from biliousness, torpid liver with indigestion, or dyspepsia. Dr. Pierce's Golden Medical Discovery is made up of the most valuable medicinal principles known to medical science for the permanent cure of such abnormal conditions. It is a most efficient liver invigorator, stomach tonic, bowel regulator and nerve strengthener.

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The farmer and his wife were about to sit down to a cold supper when they saw some old friends driving towards the house.

The good wife was equal to the occasion—thanks to her New Perfection Oil Cook-stove.

She had it lit in a moment, and her guests hardly were seated on the porch before a hearty hot meal was ready for the table—sausages and eggs and long rashers of streaky bacon, and rolls just crisped in the oven and fresh coffee—and the hostess herself as cool and neat as if she had not been near the kitchen.

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SOME TOBACCO POOL HISTORY

Affecting the Situation in
Kentucky.

ALLEGED "NIGHT RIDER" CASES

Had Their Inception in Burley
District, to Combat
Tobacco Trust.

LONG FIGHT OF THE FARMERS

The Cincinnati Enquirer says:

The alleged "night-rider" cases have a peculiar interest in the tobacco decision, as the so-called "Tobacco Trust" has bought most of its burley tobacco in Kentucky. For a long time the planters of Kentucky could not sell to any one but agents of speculators. These buyers induced the planters to adhere to the "loose" market method, which had quite a vogue in both Kentucky and Tennessee. "Bargain hunters" would be a more appropriate name for most of these buyers, who used many dark and devious methods to beat down the planters' prices for their products. Parts of a crop would be taken by one set of buyers, whose factories could use only certain grades, and part would be taken by another.

An effort was made to get the American Tobacco Company to establish buying agencies throughout Kentucky. As factories were absorbed, the number of buyers decreased, and eventually the selling agencies were opened. The American Tobacco Trust, with its immense capacity, was in a position to take all of the product. Buying direct from the farmer instead of the planter, higher prices could be paid. This made the trust buyers popular, and the speculators were driven from the field.

About four years ago the spirit of combining began to assert itself in Kentucky, and on January 2, 1907, in a meeting at Winchester, Ky., the growers of burley assembled to a call by counties. When the reports were opened it was found that 92,800 acres of the choicest tobacco lands in Kentucky were pledged as a trust against a trust. This brought practically half of the State acreage into the hands of one man. The Burley Tobacco Society was to all intents a branch of the Society of Equity. Each county was divided into districts, and each district had a local union, which seated a man in a County Board of Control, and each County Board in turn sent a man to the State Board of Control at Winchester. Clarence LeBus, of Cynthiana, was the President of the Society.

This was the beginning of the crusade for higher prices for burley tobacco, as it was planned to "corner" the supply of tobacco and hold it until the American Tobacco Company and the independent buyers would be compelled to pay a price for tobacco to be fixed by LeBus and his associates.

Members of the Burley Tobacco Company delivered the 1906 crop of tobacco, as yet unsold, to their County Boards of Control, and it was planned to do the same with the 1907 crop. It was the plan of the Society to sell it in lumps direct to the manufacturers.

Growers who were unpugged were urged to do so, for it was shown that any tobacco coming to the market would cut prices. The creed of Equity was prepared and it became a political issue in many counties of Kentucky.

Independent growers refused to pledge themselves to the pool. The Burley Tobacco Society was fighting, therefore, the Tobacco trust, the independent manufacturers and the independent growers. The latter felt that they should sell their tobacco as they pleased. Many were converted to the ranks of the Society. Equity hopes rose with the harvesting of the 1907 crop; the test of the pool was at hand, and it looked like prices were advancing. On delivery of their crops, members received certificates of delivery which merely credited them with the number of pounds of tobacco that they had pooled. The certificate could be sold or used as collateral, but they could not sell the tobacco—they had given up all title to that. Their pay would come only when the Executive Committee at Winchester saw fit to sell the tobacco. As a consequence the value of the certificates depreciated, and many of the growers realized

that they could do better acting on their own initiative.

As the season advanced the pool grew to millions of pounds, but the bulk of it remained unsold. The American Tobacco Company had apparently lost interest in the Kentucky tobacco. Eventually it announced that it would buy tobacco from any grower at prices that could be agreed upon. It was hinted that the "Tobacco Trust" had obtained all the tobacco it needed at lower prices than were quoted by the pool. In the end the pool had 80,000,000 pounds of the 1907 crop and about 14,000,000 pounds of the 1908 on hand, unable to dispose of it. Thousands of planters were depending upon the money to be realized from this tobacco for their existence in the coming year. The Tobacco Trust did not buy as was expected. R. K. Smith, Director-Manager of the American Tobacco Company at Louisville, was the chief buyer for the trust, but he showed no disposition to get together with LeBus, the head of the Burley Tobacco Society, for a price conference. However, in the fall of 1907 they did get together at Winchester. The conference at Winchester adjourned without action—prices did not suit and the Society was told that it could keep its tobacco.

The growers did not surrender, and they set about to create a famine in tobacco, pledging that they would not raise any crop in 1908. It was figured that the advance in prices, which would be obtained for their 1906 and 1907 crops, would pay them for one year's cutting out of the planting.

Many of the small planters had disposed of their certificates and they realized that they could not afford to dispense with planting tobacco to raise money the next fall. This led to growths of dissatisfaction, and the "night rider" outrages became a matter of history. So-called traitors to Equity were designated as "dumpers." "Leaks" in the agreement that bound all members of the Society to deliver all of their crops began to crop out, and it was found that some growers had purposely held out a part of their crop, selling it and cutting down the price.

The 1907 burley crop had amounted to 220,000,000 pounds. Half of this, raised and sold by independent growers, had ruined the Equity corner in burley. If these independent growers raised a crop in 1908 they would neutralize the famine campaign. They simply had to be converted to the Equity idea; that was all. But how? Gentle proselyting had already failed with them.

Demands were made upon the growers to leave tobacco planting aside for a year. Many refused, and in March, 1908, "Daylight Armies" made their first appearance in Bracken and Mason counties. They appealed to growers to remember the slogan of "No tobacco in 1908." If they refused, they found their beds of tobacco "scraped" the next morning—this being the first signs of the "night riders." Local authorities maintaining that they were powerless to prevent the "night rider" outrages, Governor Willson called out companies of militia to preserve order, protect growers who insisted upon planting tobacco and to reduce the deeds of violence.

At the end of 1908 it was found that burley tobacco had been grown, despite the "night riding." These crops were called "shotgun crops," and were hidden as soon as harvested. Owing to the partial famine these crops of tobacco were sold in the summer and early fall of 1908 at good prices. A record price of 30 cents was established in Lexington. The lowest quotations hovered around 12 cents. The 1908 crop was estimated at about 25,000,000 pounds. Country banks had to call in loans they had made on tobacco certificates. Louisville banks had \$4,000,000 out on tobacco paper. Members of the pool began to fret.

Tobacco certificates were bought right and left following the conference of LeBus and the trust representatives in Louisville on November 13, 1908. Anything under 18 cents a pound found a taker. The tobacco again came into the possession of the speculative element.

On November 19 Mr. LeBus and Mr. Smith held their final meeting

and at its close issued the following statement:

"The American Tobacco Company has bought 75 per cent. of the 1908 pooled tobacco at schedule prices and 75 per cent. of the 1907 pooled tobacco at graded prices to average 17 cents round.

"R. K. SMITH,
CLARENCE LeBUS."

The few cents had been added to the price of a pound of tobacco. The Burley Society had won its great fight.

The deal meant a cash sale of 70,000,000 pounds of tobacco for about \$13,000,000, an unthinkable bulk of product for an unthinkable number of dollars and cents, the largest sale of the kind in the history of the world.

About 60,000,000 pounds of the 1907 crop brought 17 cents. Deduct two cents for storage, insurance and prizing, and the grower—dr speculator—gets 15 cents. About 10,000,000 pounds of the 1906 crop brought 20 1/2 cents. Deduct two cents and you have 18 1/2 cents. Prices in former years ranged from seven to ten cents. The Equity idea had doubled the cents.

More than 20,000,000 pounds remained in the pool, but this was promptly sold on the same terms to 16 independent firms, which added \$3,750,000 more to the big sum for Kentucky.

STATE BANKS ARE WARNED TO INSPECT MANAGEMENT

Frankfort, Ky., June 1.—Irregularities amounting to over \$250,000 have been discovered by bank examiners among banks and bank officials in Kentucky within the last 10 days, according to the statement of Secretary Ben L. Bruner. Information came to him yesterday that another bank in this State is out \$80,000, and the directors have been notified to get the money together hurriedly or the bank will be closed.

Dr. Bruner declines to give the name, saying that the bank officials have deceived the directors and stockholders, and that he wants to give the directors every opportunity to make good before he takes action. He adds that the depositors will not lose one penny of the money, but says it is time for the directors and stockholders to be looking into the affairs of the bank and see how they are being conducted. He reiterated the statement that there is no need for alarm, and that the banks on the whole are in much better condition to-day than they have been at any time since he came into office. The stockholders and directors, and not the depositors, are the persons connected with the banks who should begin the investigation, he says.

EMPLOYMENT FOUND FOR 20 IMMIGRANTS.

Frankfort, Ky., June 3.—The monthly report of E. J. Green, State Immigration Clerk at Louisville, was made to Commissioner of Agriculture Rankin to-day. It shows he found employment for sixty-four people during the month of May, and twenty-six of that number were immigrants.

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ANOTHER STORY OF DESTRUCTION OF MAINE

New York, May 29.—The Federal Government is investigating a report that the battleship Maine was blown up in Havana harbor by an American who had been condemned to death by the Spanish, but won his freedom by destroying the warship.

The spy who turned the story in to the secret service bureau at Washington asserted that George B. Boynton, the "soldier of fortune," who died recently, was the man who actually blew up the Maine.

DRIVES AN AUTO FASTER THAN EVER BEFORE DARED

Indianapolis, Ind., May 29.—Driving faster than any man has ever dared travel before on this circular track, "Wild Bob" Burman to-day established new records for the quarter mile, half mile, kilometer and mile. His time for the mile was 35.35 seconds; quarter mile, 8.16 seconds; half mile, 16.83 seconds; kilometer, 21.40 seconds. His average speed was 101 miles an hour. Only one attempt was necessary to lower the records. Just as Burman crossed the line the front tire blew out, but by skillful driving an accident was averted. Former records were: Mile, 35.63 seconds; kilometer, 21.45 seconds; half mile, 17. The quarter mile track record is a new record.

JUSTICE.

Justice is represented as a woman because men are always flirting with her.

If people got all the justice they deserve there wouldn't be any left. Sometimes justice doesn't have her scales on straight.

Justice may be blind, but she sees a lot more than she takes notice of.

A man loves justice—for the other fellow.

Justice is sexless, though she wears petticoats in pictures.

Though justice may be disfigured, she is still in the ring.—[From Judge.

GOES TO SERVE LEPELERS TO EXPIATE HIS SINS

New Orleans, June 2.—In the hope of expiating his sins—and there are no cardinal ones among them either—Peter Artz, aged seventy-five, hale, hearty and active, will go to the Louisiana leper colony and devote the remainder of his life to waiting upon the stricken exiles.

"I don't want any fuss made about my going," and Artz. "I have never committed murder and from a legal view point my sins are not particularly grievous. I have never committed a felony, but even at that, my soul is far from being pure white.

"My father is still living in Belgium. He is ninety years old. I have written to tell him that he will never see me again—that I am going to give the rest of my life to the lepers.

"Why should I be afraid of what good sisters in charge of the colony are not afraid? I am old, but I am healthy, and as strong as some men of fifty, and I can be of great service.

"I have traveled all over the world. I have been an editor, a soldier, a teacher, but most of all, a wanderer. I have a good record for my service in the Spanish-American war."

The leper colony is eighty miles above New Orleans on a peninsula former by a curve of the Mississippi river.

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A THIRTY DAYS' FAST— THEN HE FELT BETTER

The Glasgow Times says:
Mr. Jim Wilson, the well known saddler here, concluded a thirty-days' fast yesterday at 12 o'clock, under the supervision of his physician, Dr. C. T. Grinstead. It will be remembered that Mr. Wilson was badly paralyzed between two and three years ago, and has since been bedfast, unable to move or help himself, and growing fatter all the time. As an anti-fast remedy, as well as for the general betterment of his health, a thirty-days' rigorous fast was prescribed, with gratifying results. For the entire thirty days not a morsel of food has passed the faster's lips, an occasional glass of water being the sole nourishment allowed him. Yesterday the scales showed that Mr. Wilson had lost twenty pounds, and his condition was greatly improved. He can now walk a step or two with assistance, turn over in bed, cross and recross his legs and use his arms—a very material advancement from complete helplessness. Mr. Wilson says that after the first two or three days he was not hungry in the least. At the breaking of his fast he was allowed two tablespoonfuls of orange juice, and will be gradually put on a more satisfactory diet.

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WEDNESDAY, JUNE 7, 1911.

**OHIO CIRCUIT COURT
CONVENES NEXT MONDAY****Daviess Court Adjourned Saturday
—Vacation Period for
Judge Birkhead.**

Final adjournment was taken by Judge Birkhead in Circuit Court at Owensboro Saturday afternoon after the court had been in session for two weeks. During the day there were a great number of orders entered in many of the civil cases that are pending before the court and numbers of minutes were entered for the filing of orders at a later date.

The most important order entered during the day was that which placed the bond of Mrs. Louella Lynch, charged with murder, at \$2,000. Prior to the trial of her case in the Circuit Court, she was held in jail and was not permitted to furnish bond in any sum. When the jury failed to bring in a verdict, application was made for bond. The court, after hearing the arguments, fixed the bond at \$2,000.

Next Monday the regular June term of Circuit Court for Ohio county will be held and Judge Birkhead, Commonwealth's Attorney Ben D. Ringo and several others of the court officials will be here. This is a two-weeks term.

When Judge Birkhead disposes of the court sessions that he will hold this month, he will then have a vacation for two months, as a recent enactment of the General Assembly gives all of the Circuit Judges in the State a two months' vacation during July and August, and has arranged all the court sessions so that they will be held at other times during the year.

SCHROEDER SCHOOLHOUSE.

June 3.—The new church at this place has been completed and there will be preaching every 2d Sunday at 11 o'clock a. m. by Rev. T. J. Acton. Rev. Harper will also preach every 3d Sunday at 3 o'clock p. m. Everybody invited.

Mr. Roy Potts, who has been very sick, is able to be out again. Mr. and Mrs. F. W. Acton are visiting their daughter, Mrs. Tina Wilson, of Taylor Mines, who is very ill.

Mrs. Sylvia Wilson, of Rockport, Ky., is visiting her mother, Mrs. W. F. Acton, near this place.

Mr. Archie Burch, of Friedland, was in this community Sunday.

Mr. Wayne Payton, of Olaton, called to see Miss Lizzie Burton Sunday afternoon.

Mr. and Mrs. John Miller, of near Rosine, visited Mr. and Mrs. Dock Burton last Sunday.

Mr. Elijah Daniel, of Olaton, and Mr. Carson Dunnen, of Barrett's Ferry, called to see Misses Mable and Martha Potts Sunday afternoon.

Little Miss Tina York, who has been visiting her sister, Miss Annie Midkiff, of Sulphur Springs, has returned home.

Mr. Dock Burton, who has been on the sick list, is able to be out again.

If wedding bells don't ring in this community soon, your correspondent will be greatly surprised.

Mr. C. C. Hines and daughter have returned home after a few days visit with relatives in Warren county.

Mr. Wm. Burton is on the sick list.

Miss Ava Acton has returned home from Bowling Green, Ky., where she has been attending school.

Mr. Cleveland Acton, of Hartford, visited his parents, Mr. and Mrs. W. F. Acton, Saturday night and Sunday.

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Program for Friday evening, June 9, 1911:

Opening song—Roll call. Opening address—Robert Davis. Recitation—Filydia Foster. Select Reading—Lula Ward. Stump speech—Otis Carson. Recitation—Carroll Ward. "Lecture"—by President. Comic speech—P. D. Tweddell. Old business. Appointment of committee to arrange program. Recess.

Quartet—Betty Ward, Jessie Park, Joe Chapman and S. P. Sanderfur. Debate: "Resolved, That a Lantern is of more use to a Young

Lady on a Dark night than a Beau." Affirmative: Tylmer Westerfield, Bertha Ward, J. P. Sanderfur, Otis Carson. Negative: P. D. Tweddell, Filydia Foster, Robert Davis, Ira Ellis. Query box. Criticism. Reading of program.

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OLATON.

June 5.—Messrs. C. B. Lyons, Ernest Wilson, John Stone, Roy Crawford and Dr. C. W. Felix, of this place, attended the Masonic supper at Pattiesville last Saturday night.

Quite a number of Woodmen of this place attended the decoration at New Ramus yesterday evening.

Mrs. G. W. Daniel and little son Kenneth, of this place, left Friday for Louisville, where they will be the guests of relatives for a few weeks.

Mrs. Maggie Hammons and daughter, Miss Ethel, of Horton, were the guests of Mrs. Mary Ann Felix's family, of this place, recently.

Mr. Willie Bruner, wife and little son William, of Vernada, Miss., who have been the guests of his father and other relatives of this town for the past week, returned home last Friday night.

"Uncle" Tom Felix, of Hartford, is the guest of Dr. C. W. Felix and daughter, Miss Garnett, and other relatives near this place.

Crops in this country are perishing for rain.

The infant child of Mr. and Mrs. Fred Faught, who has been quite ill, is some better.

SMALLHOUS.

June 3.—Mrs. Ople Kittinger and children were guests of her sister, Mrs. Wm. Nichols, at South Carrollton, recently.

Misses Eva and Ethel Morton, Livermore, and Misses Mary and Ethel Bernard, Hartford, Ky., are guests of Mr. and Mrs. Sam Morton.

Mrs. J. F. Brown is quite ill.

Mrs. Bob Billings, who stuck a nail in her foot several days ago, is better. Her sister, Miss Annie Buskill, of Moorman, is visiting her.

Miss Ethel Hunter is at Utica for a two weeks' visit to her sister, Mrs. J. S. Trunnell. She was called to Utica to act as a pall bearer for her friend, Miss Mary Hunt, who died at her home in Utica Wednesday.

Miss Maude Calloway is visiting Mrs. J. S. Trunnell at Utica this week.

Mr. and Mrs. Alonzo France have a new boy at their home, born recently.

Mrs. P. B. Taylor and son, John Ross Taylor, of Hartford, are visiting relatives here and at Kronos.

Mr. Ray Faught went to Centertown Saturday.

Mrs. Ray Faught is quite ill.

Miss Oma Maddox, Rockport, Ky., will visit her parents, Mr. and Mrs. M. P. Maddox, here to-morrow.

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June 3.—Misses Helen and Louise Riley spent Sunday with Letty Bell, at Buford.

Miss Pearl Hudson is visiting her aunt, Mrs. Jimmie Fielden, of Owensboro.

Miss Winnie Humphrey and Mr. Albert Humphrey, of Livia, visited Miss Ella Crowe Saturday and Sunday.

Miss Kathleen Owen, of Livia, and Mr. Rhea Murray, of Pleasant Ridge, dined with Mrs. Mabel Calhoun Sunday.

Mr. and Mrs. Ellis Bolton, of Brown's Valley, spent Sunday with Mrs. Eliza Hinton.

Born to Mr. and Mrs. Walter Jones, of Brierfield, a fine girl.

Miss Ollie Payne, of Livermore, is visiting her sister, Mrs. Flora Watson, of this place.

Mr. Herman Barr has purchased a fine horse.

Mr. Winfield Wright and wife, of Louisiana, are visiting relatives and friends in this neighborhood.

Mr. and Mrs. A. N. Crowe, of Maxwell, are visiting Mr. Wilbur Calhoun, of Livermore.

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**SUED AS "NIGHT RIDERS"
—AN ANSWER IS FILED****By 103 Alleged Participants in
Hopkinsville Raid—An
Important Case.**

Another answer has been filed in the United States Court at Owensboro by D. A. Amos and 102 other defendants, who were sued as night riders, by Mrs. Elsie G. Latham, for \$50,000 damages for the destruction of certain property in the city of Hopkinsville, on the night of December 7, 1907.

All the defendants deny the allegations of the petition, and say that at no time did they ever belong to any order or society known as "night riders," or that they ever at any time confederated or banded themselves together for the purpose of destroying property, nor did they ever destroy any property belonging to the Latham estate.

The defendants say that they have no knowledge as to whether the city of Hopkinsville had the ability, with or without the aid of the citizens, to prevent damage and destruction of the property, or that the city of Hopkinsville had notice that such riotous or tumultuous assemblage was about to take place, or that the city did nothing to prevent the invasion of said alleged night riders. These defendants are represented by Thomas P. Cook and John W. Kelly.

Answers have now been filed by all the defendants. It is likely that a reply will be filed by the plaintiff, in which event the issues will be completed, and the case will then stand ready for trial.

On account of the great importance attached to the case, and the large number of defendants and witnesses that will be brought to Owensboro to attend the trial, it is likely that Judge Evans will call a special session of court to try the case some time during July. If this is done, the case will be tried in the new Government building, at the corner of Fifth and Frederica streets, and will attract more attention than any case ever tried in the United States Court at Owensboro.

There will be a large array of legal talent in the case, including Judge Fowler, of Hopkinsville, and a prominent attorney from New York, the latter two being attorneys for Mrs. Latham.

CENTERTOWN.

June 5.—Mr. L. D. Jackson has moved into his new residence here. Mr. J. L. Brown, of Rockport, Ky., visited friends and relatives here Saturday and Sunday.

Esq. J. C. Jackson spent a part of this week near Drakesboro, looking after some legal business.

Mr. H. H. Lewis and family have moved to Louisville.

Dr. Park, of Rockport, spent one day last week here.

Mr. Brock Smith, our depot agent, is visiting relatives in Tennessee.

Miss Irene Davis visited relatives near Kronos Saturday and Sunday.

**GIVEN A GLAD SURPRISE
ON HER 76th BIRTHDAY**

On May 31st, 1911, neighbors and friends gathered together at the old homestead of Mrs. Charlotte Taylor, near Liberty Church, giving her a surprise dinner in honor of the 76th anniversary of her birth. To say "Aunt Charlot" was surprised when the good people began to make their appearance, would be putting it mildly. She was found to be cheerfully taking up her routine duties as befits the good housekeeper on wash day, but the tub and wash board were soon hung away on their respective pegs and friendly handshakes and joyful greetings took their stead. The many years of her useful life having been spent in generous hospitality, she found it truly hard to withstand the temptation of repairing to the kitchen to begin the preparation for dinner. Time and again some of the good ladies would bring her away and place her in a high arm chair to await the coming of the feast. In due time she was escorted to the head of the table and given to understand that she was to be waited on and served first, this time. And such a hounteous repast as it was—everything good to eat, even up to pound cake and old-fashioned light cornbread. The following were present:

Messrs. Jno. W. Taylor, T. R. Black, J. H. Black, Felix Shaver, L. M. Stetler, Guy Stetler, E. E. Rogers; Mesdames Felix Shaver, Ann Render, Nancy Taylor, Bettie Rogers, E. E. Rogers, T. R. Black, J. H. Black, Joanna Blankenship, "Aunt" Hannah Stevens; Little

Messrs. Truman Black, Durwood Black, Delmar C. Black, Wayland Render, Rogers, J. L. Blankenship, J. Arnon Stetler and Yale Rogers; Little Misses Golda Ruth Black, Mahel D. Black, Vitula May Shaver, Lucille Stetler and Zelma Vaughn.

Truly such gatherings as these depict the hearty hospitality, respect and christian spirit of our old landmarks. What a beautiful thought, for us to realize, while yet we live, that our friends and relatives love and honor us, and that we can manifest our appreciation of such ministrations in words and kindly acts. To know "Aunt Charlot" is to love her. She has lived a beautiful life, one which should be recognized as a living monument of purity and loveliness, by the younger generation of her acquaintance. May God bless her and prolong this life of hers to even the century mark. G. S.

KENTUCKY NEWS NOTES.

The census reports from the schools of Spencer county show that there are 2,253 white children of school age. This is an increase of only two over last year.

M. H. Thatcher, Governor of the Panama canal zone, has left Morgantown for Frankfort. He later will go to New York, where he will sail on June 12 for the Isthmus.

The examining trial of Ahe Burton, a farmer, charged with killing Logan Hill, a neighbor, was held at Richmond, resulting in the defendant being referred to the grand jury.

Robert Boaz and Edward Lee were fatally injured at Maysville while they were at work on a swinging scaffold painting a house when the rope broke and they fell thirty feet to the pavement.

The grand jury at Owensboro, instead of indicting the women who conduct immoral resorts in Owensboro, found true bills against the owners of the buildings last week, a precedent in the local courts.

It is now an assured fact that the Paris terminals of the Louisville and Nashville railroad are to be retained in Paris, instead of being transplanted to some of the neighboring cities, as frequently hinted in newspaper correspondence.

Frank Lee, another of the alleged pickpockets held to the grand jury at Paducah, executed bond and was given his release. He is the fourth member of the gang of six to get out of jail by giving bond. His bond was reduced from \$600 to \$400. He has left the city.

Roy Mason and Edgar Jones, both of Mayfield, engaged in a fight on an Illinois Central excursion train shortly after it left Paducah and Jones was badly cut about the face with a knife. The train hacked into the Union station and both were arrested.

The Louisville and Interurban railway offered the city of Shelbyville \$15,000 for the right-of-way through Main street. The proposition was made at the meeting of the city council and was taken under consideration by that body.

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